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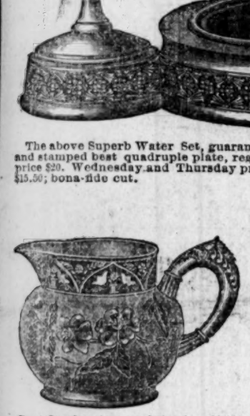

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All-Wool Plaid, 38-inch Cheviots, suitable for street and traveling dresses,

REGULAR PRICE, 40c

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DRESS GOODS from AUCTION

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Do not miss this Grand Opportunity to buy Splendid Goods for Traveling or Street Wear———VERY CHEAP!———

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200 pieces ALL-WOOL, 24-inch Dress Goods, in choice shadings of gray, brown and gobelin blue mixtures, with neat styles pin checks and larger checks, all handsome and very desirable for either Ladies' or Children's Suits. These have never before been sold by the closest houses under 25c—but our price in this sale will be.....15c per yard

40c DOWN TO 20c.

275 pieces ALL-WOOL, 36-inch, double-fold Dress Goods, in choice styles, small English checks. These have never been sold by the closest houses under 40c—and by many 50c—but our price in this sale will be.....20c per yard

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258 pieces ALL-WOOL, 39-inch, beautiful mixtures, in both light and dark; and also in Scotch Cheviot weaves, with small, bright checks; also in Twill Snowflakes and Beige Plaids, all splendid qualities; never sold before under 50c. Will go in this sale at.....25c per yard

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75c DOWN TO 40c.

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25 pieces **52-INCH** finest quality, All-wool Worsted Suitings, in Check and Stripe Combinations, the handsomest, most stylish and most durable goods for traveling wear, either by rail or steamer. From $1.15 down to.....65c per yard

LADIES, don't fail to see these GREAT BARGAINS. If you can't come yourselves, send a friend.

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They always do.

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We could fill our store readily with the sort that would cost us less money and pay a larger profit.

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Because it isn't wise to sacrifice next year's trade to making money to-day. You don't knowingly buy mean clothing a second time in one store.

We know no way to make sure of good clothing except manufacturing it ourselves. We know it's the best.

You'll come for the best a second and a twentieth time. Wanamaker's will always have it.

We have plenty of it to-day. Our line of Spring Suits carries the standard of ready-made Clothing a big stride forward. The designs are uncommonly good and the get-up is equal to them.

The fit of a Spring Oversack is as well-assured to you in those on our counters as though you waited a week for a tailor's handiwork on one. Silk-lined or not, style and fit are sure.

We shall make all the more money for making less to-day. We'll make it by selling more and more of our make.

Low prices and large trade are certain of getting together.

Wanamaker & Brown,

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You'll see nearly 1,000 styles of goods for tailoring to-order.

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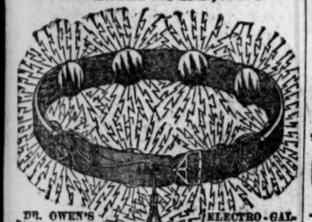

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The Owen Electric Belt & Appliance Co.
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Or the Liquor Habit Positively Cured by Administering Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.

It can be given in a cup of coffee or tea without the knowledge of the person taking it; is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure had followed. IT NEVER FAILS. The system once impregnated with the Specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. For sale by M. W. Alexander, Broadway and Olive st.; Richardson Drug Co., 6th and Clark av.; Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., 6th and Washington av.; J. S. Merrell Drug Co., 620 Washington av., St. Louis, Mo.

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GOODS FRESH AND DIRECT FROM MANUFACTURERS.

SEE PRICES: Alcock's Porous Plasters, 10c; Espey Cream, 15c; Cashmere Bouquet Soap, 21c; Castoria, 25c; Brown's and Sanford's Ginger, 35c; Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, 65c; Warner's Kidney and Liver Cure, 85c; Fellow's Syrup, $1.00; Swift's Specific, 65c; etc.

ALEXANDER'S BEEF, WINE, IRON and PEPSIN, the best tonic for Debility and Indigestion.....$1.00

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We offer to the trade a great variety of

Colored Cashmere Wool Fringe Shawls,

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In great variety.

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LEAVE THE WINDOW OPEN

AFTER SEEING M'NICHOLS.

Wife, let the breeze through the window
Blow in, toss the curtains wide,
And thus, when there nothing hinders,
Let a poor, hapless soul look inside.
You will think him all rags and tatters,
His eyes may seem bleary, as well,
But even a tramp's wonder flatters,
And the good you may do, who can tell?

He will sigh, oh, so hard; you will pity
His shelterless breast, in the sleet,
And to think that for all this big city
This man's only home is the street!
So then let him gaze on beauty—
On the things that are fair to his eyes;
Perhaps, this may 'waken duty
And make new ambition arise.

For oft when I come from my labor,
All weary of working and shop,
I am glad that I am not my neighbor,
And glad that it's here I'm to stop.
The pictures, the brackets, the sofa,
The portieres, the curtains of lace;
What should take me out, what go for,
When I've such a beautiful place?

No bank vault I've had to rifle;
I've cheated no woman or man;
To gain it I've paid but a trifle,
And that on the installment plan.
We want a new ice chest, a carriage
For baby, a stove—gasoline—
And never, my dear, since your marriage
Have you lived so much like a queen.

And what a comfort to wives a lovely home stocked with improvements and cheery things! What woman would not be happy after spring-cleaning, and a call with his latest and best furniture, carpets, curtains and hand-painted dishes of

THE ONLY M'NICHOLS (Trade Mark).
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P. S.—Home is where the heart is and what we make it. Now is a chance for everybody to pay by the week.

St. Johns Hospital
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We have been using "Nicholson's Liquid Bread" in our hospital for some time, and are much pleased with the results obtained.

Sisters of Mercy.

The above Hospital receives Patients from all parts of the United States, and is in direct communication with all Clinics of the Missouri Medical College, the Medical Department of the State University.

LATEST EDITION

A DEPLETED TREASURY.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR GENERAL BOARD WITHOUT FUNDS.

The Coal Mine in Ohio to Be Sold—Schemes for Raising the Wind—Prospects That the General Officers Will Not Get Salaries Due—Resumption of Work at the Edgar Thomson Steel-Works—The New York Brewers' Lock-Out—Labor News.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 24.—The appropriation of $10,000 by the General Executive Board of the Knights of Labor at the recent session to start a printing office at headquarters was a farcical act. The money was appropriated from a depleted treasury. The need of ready money above current expenses, which are now paid with difficulty, has caused much concern. Schemes for raising the wind have been afloat for some time. Aside from the brown stone headquarters, worth $60,000, the only available property is the Connelburg coal mine in Ohio. The general board have authorized the sale of this property and they expect to realize enough to enable the trustees of the printing office to get the office well under way. The trustees want to start the office badly, as they thus hope to lessen the enormous printing bill of the order, which was $40,000 last year. The sale of the mine will only provide a little ready money for exigencies, such as the printing office, and will do little to improve the frightfully bad condition of the finances. A member of the board admits that there is barely enough money in the treasury to pay the current expenses and keep the machinery going until the payment of the July per capita tax.

HEAVY EXPENSES.

The quarterly returns are far from satisfactory. Mr. Powderly has issued a special call for the purpose of keeping the attention of the order on the glittering generalities of his to draw a little money in the empty coffers. Unless money is received between this date and July the force at the general office will have to be further reduced. The question strikes higher than the clerks, however, and there is a strong probability, which is held by some of the board, that before that time the general officers will not be able to get their salaries in full. The expenses of the order are now very heavy. During the year 1885-86 the order gained nearly 60,000 members and the total expenses were $105,795. Under the present administration for less 87 the order lost 217,000 members and the total expenses were $491,683.

At the close of the Minneapolis session of the General Assembly, in October, 1887, the treasury was practically empty, as the payment of the expenses of the General Assembly about exhausted the paltry balance of $5,977. The order had, according to Secretary Litchman, 438,000 members. This membership had paid into the treasury the sum of $495,656 whilst he yearly expenses were $491,683. The expenses and receipts so nearly balanced that in spite of the membership or other causes affecting the income would force the receipts to fall below the expenditures. In 1886-87 each member of the order paid about 75 cents for the support of the order, every cent of which was used; and as the membership has decreased another 200,000, the income will be decreased one-half. According to the report of Treasurer Turner the average monthly expenses of last year were $39,000. At the same time the average monthly income from all the sources of revenue was about $22,000.

To get money needed to meet expenses a special assessment of 25 cents was levied in November, 1886, which brought in $105,173, and a general appeal brought in $5,000, and the order was saved from financial ruin. There have been no assessments this year, and as the regular sources of revenues would not pay expenses with a large membership, they cannot pay with a decimated membership of about 240,000. The expenses remain about the same, and, if anything, are higher.

There is little or no economy. The board cost the order $21,416 last year and several members say that at the rate of $7 a day and expenses it will cost the order $25,000 a year. There is a chance of getting money by mortgaging the headquarters, which can be done contrary to the general opinion, but the board prefer to sell the mine. This cost $20,000 originally and has yielded up to the $5,000 profit. A member of the board said recently: "I am afraid, with our decreased membership, that we won't be able to get our full salaries after July."

The Edgar Thomson Works.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 24.—Seven hundred men went to work at the Edgar Thomson Steel-works this morning. Furnace A is in operation and B will probably be started up within the next twenty-four hours. Supt. Jones says he can get all the men he wants and is refusing applications. The Knights continue firm, and so far there have been no desertions from their ranks. There are no signs of an outbreak. The Pinkerton men and Deputy Sheriffs are still guarding the works, but the strikers are giving them no trouble and are keeping at a safe distance from the company's property.

The Brewers' Strike.

NEW YORK, April 24.—There is very little if anything new in the situation of the brewery strike to-day. Both employers and employes stand firm.

IN CUSTODY.

A Sharper Who Victimized an Ohio Farmer to the Tune of $2,000.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

DANVILLE, Ill., April 24.—Yesterday afternoon Detective John W. Hails of this city arrested Charles Scott of this city, charged with confidencing Eli Brothers, a farmer of Canton, O., out of $2,000. The scheme worked was the lottery ticket, the farmer drawing a big prize and had to deposit the $2,000 to show his responsibility. The same plan was worked here about two years ago when Mr. Irad Abdill gave up $1,500 and a short time afterwards the sharpers fleeced a wealthy citizen of Bloomington in the same manner. It is thought the arrest will lead to the arrest of other guilty parties.

A Change at the Southern.

Mr. Eugene Hunt, who for the past five years has occupied the position of clerk at the Southern, severed his connection with that hotel yesterday. Mr. Hunt leaves the city for the purpose of taking charge of the Ogden House at Council Bluffs, of which he is part proprietor. Mr. Hunt leaves a host of friends in this city, and his departure will be universally regretted. He will take with him to his new home the good wishes of all who know him. Mr. Frank Harriman, formerly clerk of the West House, Minneapolis, will occupy the place vacated by Mr. Hunt.

Editor Dilley All Right.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 24.—The *Record* announces to-day that Editor B. F. Dilley of Kingston, who mysteriously disappeared nearly a month ago, and who was supposed to have been murdered, is alive and well. He is in Denver, Colo., and will leave there to day for home. Though not known positively, it is believed that he was temporarily insane.

The Peach Crop Safe.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WILMINGTON, Del., April 24.—Telegrams to the *Morning News* from fifteen of the most important points on the Peninsula in regard to the condition of the peach buds give every indication of an unusually large crop this year. The trees so far are almost entirely uninjured.

THE RAILROADS.

Dull Business and Poor Prospects—The Emigrant Pool Again—Notes.

"Extremely dull," is about the only answer that one can get now from railroad officials and line agents with reference to business. It has been terribly dull ever since the present year opened and while here and there a man will be found who takes a cheerful view of things the majority expect the expenses to top the earnings for the next four or five months to come. The Western and Southern roads have just come out of a hard season with no crops to speak of to move, but during the first part of it the stringency in the money market was not felt so severely and there was railway construction, house-building and manufacturing to give business. But what crop there was has been moved, and railway construction having ceased to a large extent, there is nothing to make earnings out of. Another element which has added still further injury is the rate cutting which has been going on for months past. All the lumber and other material that was needed in the West and South was carried in at ruinous rates.

Of course, the roads are now looking to the next crop to resume activity. The indications are that the Western roads will be somewhat disappointed. The severe winter and late dry spring have done inestimable damage to the crops in the Central and Western States. An official who has just returned from a trip through the West and Southwest says the crops in the West are looking as badly as they can look. Through Kansas and Missouri everything is stunted and late. Texas is in fine shape and Arkansas is in good condition, as there has been plenty of rain in both of these States. On the other hand Missouri is also bad and the Central States are suffering. Crop reports from all points on the Vandalia road and its connections indicate that there will not be more than half a crop of wheat, and the late season threatens to injure the chances of the oat crop.

The Emigrant Pool Again.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 24.—S. F. Pierson, Chairman of the passenger pool of the trunk lines, has given out a long statement of the trunk lines' position with reference to the recent decree of the Emigration Commissioners excluding the pool from the Garden. In the course of his manifesto he says that the contract between the commissioners and the trunk lines was entered into December 4, 1882, and has, according to Commissioner Stephenson, proved most satisfactory. This contract provided that no second or third-class tickets should be sold to immigrants outside the Garden. Some of the trunk lines had violated the agreement with the commissioners as well as the agreement with the other trunk lines by selling tickets outside the Garden. But it was not true that all the trunk lines had violated the agreement. Those lines which had not offended had made every effort to stop the violations of the contract, but the commissioners

HAD SHUT OUT THE POOL

without giving them any notice, and no attempt had been made by them to see whether the violations could not be stopped. Six of the seven lines were anxious to have the violations of the agreement stopped, and they might so have done had the commissioners sustained them and carried out their part of the agreement. The contract provided that the commissioners should use their influence to prevent outside transportation lines from selling immigrant tickets and placing accommodations to "runners," etc., other than at offices outside the Garden. And it also provided that they should exclude all persons or lines from the Garden who did not comply with the rules prescribed by the commissioners for the Government of the forwarding business of the "Joint Agency." And if they (the commissioners) had lived up to these provisions and stopped the outside ticket-selling the pool lines would not have been forced, in self-defense, to sell tickets outside.

If there should be any possibility of improving the old plan the trunk lines would heartily co-operate with the commissioners.

The Pacific at Boonville.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOONVILLE, Mo., April 24.—Col. T. W. B. Crews, attorney for the Missouri Pacific Railroad, arrived here this morning and deposited money to cover damages awarded for a considerable portion of the right of way for the road through this city. Grading on the line progress the past week and will pow be continued through the city along the river front. It is said the road will be in operation between here and Kansas City by May 21.

The K. C., A. & N. O. R. R.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 24.—A railroad meeting was held at Stuttgart in behalf of the Kansas City, Arkansas & New Orleans Railroad. Speeches were made by Col. G. M. Barbour, President of the road; Hons. W. H. Halliburton and R. H. Crockett. Mr. Barbour assured them that the road would be built, and in turn they assured him the right of way through the county, and it is thought liberal donations will be made to the road. The prospect is more encouraging than ever before.

Bee Line Officials.

A party of Bee Line officials, consisting of President J. D. Layng, General Manager Beach, Supt. T. W. Burrows, General Freight Agent Edgar Hill and General Master Mechanic W. F. Turreff, arrived in town on a tour of inspection yesterday and remained today. The party will leave for the return trip this evening.

Attention, Members of the G. A. R.

The Ohio & Mississippi has already named a 1 cent per mile rate for the Knights of Pythias to Cincinnati and return in the month of June, and was the first to name the 1 cent per mile rate for the Grand Army of the Republic, and it was by the effort of the Ohio & Mississippi, through its representative, Mr. W. B. Shattuc, that the rate of 1 cent per mile was named to the Grand Army of the Republic to St. Louis last year, after the associated lines had resolved to make no lower rate than one fare for the round trip; but owing to the decided stand taken by the Ohio & Mississippi Railway in favor of the 1 cent per mile rate, it was finally adopted. The rate named for this business heretofore established the precedent for making the rate to Columbus this year, and it would not have been made had it not been for the rate named to the Grand Army of the Republic last year and the Knights of Pythias to Cincinnati in the month of June. Please remember this fact in making your arrangements; and we can highly recommend the Ohio & Mississippi Railway and its connections as being a first-class line in every respect to Columbus, O. Through cars will be run and every accommodation offered to make your trip a pleasant one. Hotel cars will be placed in a desirable position in Columbus—in fact, the point at which they will be located is very near the center of the city, and such accommodations cannot be secured by other lines.

Whitney Backs Down.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 24.—Samuel Whitney alias Spurgeon, the Baltimore embezzler, has decided to accompany the officers back to Baltimore without giving them trouble, and consequently the application for the writ of habeas corpus was not made. Whitney was on the street this morning in charge of an officer. He admits his crime and professes to be penitent. He will endeavor to compromise the matter.

Texas Election Fraud Cases.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 24.—The jury in the celebrated Washington County election fraud cases, which have been pending in the United States Court for over a year, returned a verdict of not guilty this morning, after being out all night.

A Crooked Suicide.

DAYTON, O., April 24.—J. A. Scarlett of Cincinnati, General Manager of the R. G. Dun Commercial Agency, finds the books of James Cummins, who suicided here on Sunday, $4,000 short. Cummins was local manager for the Dun Agency here.

BROUGHT IN $188,000.

COSTLY PACKAGE CARRIED ON 'CHANGE BY A MESSENGER UNDER GUARD.

Novel Manner in Which Dunn & Co. Attempted to Settle a Deal After a Certified Check Had Been Refused—A Knotty Problem for the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange Which Need Not Now Be Solved.

When Moses Fraley in an outburst of indignation last week pronounced the business of grain speculation a disreputable one and as being afflicted with a contingent having little regard for the truth, he spoke without a text, but the text has promptly put in an appearance this week, and was the basis this morning for much animated conversation. In short, the conditions under which 400,000 bushels of corn were about two weeks ago contracted for by Wm. Dunn & Co. of Chicago, the grain being on hand at the St. Louis elevator, have been resolved into a question of veracity between buyer and seller and the commission firms involved in the transaction. S. W. Cobb & Co. acted for the Chicago firm and D. P. Grier for the St. Louis Elevator Company. Dunn & Co. do a heavy business in Chicago and the purchase, though a large one, excited no unusual comment until recently, when it was learned that there was a serious difference of opinion as to the disposition of the grain existing between buyer and seller. Then it was the gamblers in grain pricked up their ears, in which interested position they are not unlikely to retain them until the whole matter has been investigated by the Board of Directors of the Exchange. The corn, as already stated, was contracted for by Wm. Dunn & Co., acting through their brokers, S. W. Cobb & Co. It was whispered about that the Chicago firm desired the grain for export, and the shipment of so much cash corn in the present condition of the market naturally excited

THE LIVELIEST INTEREST

on 'change. This interest has been vastly enhanced by subsequent developments, for there have been rumors of a corner in May corn contemplated by the parties directly interested in the present deal, and when it was learned that Dunn & Co. had an intention of removing the grain from St. Louis comment waxed warm.

The difference of opinion between buyer and seller already alluded to, hinged on the shipment of the purchase, the representation of the elevator company insisting that the contract called for shipment, while the Dunn people as stoutly maintain that nothing of the kind was contemplated on their part. Mr. Thornburn, who is connected with Dunn & Co., is visiting St. Louis and was on the floor this morning. To a POST-DISPATCH reporter he said: "Our firm did not only not agree to ship the grain, but had no especial intention of exporting it. We certainly could not afford to export the present conditions of the market, and there is no reason why it should not remain where it is till doomsday, as long as we pay storage. It was agreed that the grain should remain in the elevator up to a certain day, which was last Sunday, and that from date storage would be charged. There was neither written nor verbal contract specifying the removal of the corn, and that's all there is to it."

Later Mr. Thornburn exhibited the contract showing that the 400,000 bushels had been contracted for at 47 cents, and that the grain might be left in the elevator up to April 20. President John Jackson of the St. Louis Elevator Company nevertheless stated most positively to a reporter that there had been

A VERBAL AGREEMENT TO SHIP

on the part of Dunn & Co., and that there had been witnesses to this verbal agreement, in which statement he was sustained by D. P. Grier. Here the whole question rests, and as it involves not only a big transaction with important bearing on the market, but involves the commercial integrity of the firms concerned, its settlement is no light matter. That Dunn & Co.'s representatives were weary of the tone matters had taken, was shown by their offering this morning in payment for the grain a cashier's check for the amount. This was refused as being an illegal tender, but the matter did not rest here. A messenger was dispatched to the bank and, under guard, presently returned with

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Tom Brady, the foreman of the Olive street car stables, who deserted his wife, family and creditors last December has been heard from. He is in New Orleans, La. Yesterday the Chief of Police received a letter from the Chief of Police of New Orleans, informing him that a man had been arrested there on suspicion of stealing a skiff, and gave the name of Henry Johnson. When searched there were found on him a number of newspaper clippings, which would indicate that his name was Tom Brady, and that he had been foreman of the Olive street car stables here, and had left his wife and nine children besides taking several hundred dollars belonging to other people. On being pressed hard he admitted he was Brady, and said he would come to St. Louis without a requisition providing Detective Charles Archambault, with whom he was well acquainted, should be sent for him. The letter inquired whether there was any reward for the man and whether the St. Louis authorities would come after him and pay the cost of holding him. Chief Huebler turned the letter over to Detective Archambault to learn whether the man was wanted here. The officer visited Mr. Maffitt, the President, and Mr. Henry the Secretary of the Olive street line to learn whether they were willing to pay for bringing Brady back. He was informed that there was no case against him in which he could be prosecuted, the money he got away with being all borrowed. Therefore he was guilty of nothing except a breach of trust, for the punishment of which there is no law. The New Orleans authorities were accordingly notified that Brady was not wanted here.

The escapades of this man are still fresh in the public mind. He had for years been employed as foreman of the Olive street car stables and enjoyed the full confidence of both his employer and employes. He had fallen into a habit of borrowing from those working under him. They did not like to refuse their boss, and besides they imagined their money as safe with him, as if it were in the vaults of the finest safe deposit company in the land. He had a wife and nine children with whom he appeared to live most happily. One day last December he suddenly left the city, leaving no clew behind of his whereabouts. Then it came out that in addition to deserting his family he had got away with some $500 or $600 belonging to his employers. He had borrowed the money in sums ranging from $25 to $200. Brady is said to have been in New Orleans ever since January 4.

IN THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Cases Disposed Of in This Tribunal Before Judge Normile.

The only thing done in the Criminal Court this morning was the selection of a jury in each of the two cases against William H. Kelly, alias Clark. When both juries had been selected the cases were laid over until Thursday morning. Kelly is to be tried under the habitual criminal act, and will be the first person tried under it here for years. He is the Sunday daylight store-worker who was arrested some time ago in the cellar of Westerman's chinaware store. He is supposed to have been endeavoring to get from it to Hayden & Allen's saddlery hardware house next door, which he burglarized years ago. Kelly's racket is to effect an entrance to a store on a Sunday morning and then hire a wagon to haul off a lot of stuff. He does his work openly and boldly, and when questioned explains that he is the porter of the store and that he came down for the purpose of shipping some goods which should have been got out the previous evening, but which, owing to their rush, they were unable to get out. This is the way he is alleged to have worked Jacob Furth's wholesale grocery, which is one of the charges against him. The other is burglarizing Westerman's place, where he was arrested. If convicted under the habitual criminal act, Kelly will receive a life sentence in the Penitentiary. Only one term under the present conditions of the market, and there is no reason why it should not remain where it is till doomsday, as long as we pay storage. It was agreed that the grain should remain in the elevator up to a certain day, which was last Sunday, and that from date storage would be charged. There was neither written nor verbal contract specifying the removal of the corn, and that's all there is to it."

Later Mr. Thornburn exhibited the contract showing that the 400,000 bushels had been contracted for at 47 cents, and that the grain might be left in the elevator up to April 20. President John Jackson of the St. Louis Elevator Company nevertheless stated most positively to a reporter that there had been

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Burglars entered J. J. Westheimer's residence, 1824 Kennett place, last night, but took nothing. The family are in Cincinnati.

Christ Stamm of 3910 Sarpy avenue reports a gold ring was stolen from him.

A skiff belonging to Henry Lang was stolen from Bissell's Point.

Mississippi Judicial Division.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JACKSON, Miss., April 24.—The majority of the Supreme Court of Mississippi yesterday sustained the constitutionality of the act passed at the last session of the Legislature, redividing the State into Circuit and Chancery Court districts and reducing the number of Circuit Judges and Chancelors. Justice Campbell delivered the opinion which was concurred in by Chief Justice Cooper. Justice Arnold dissented in an elaborate opinion holding that the act was unconstitutional.

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CLEARED UP AT LAST.

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Ward, a Member of the Notorious Jack Keith Gang, Confesses to a Cell-Mate That He Killed Young Hynson—The Murderer Under Conviction for Highway Robbery—Strong Proof in the Possession of the Police Authorities.

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KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 24.—The mystery which has surrounded the murder of young Allen M. Hynson of this city has been unraveled. As stated in the POST-DISPATCH at the time, Hynson had spent the evening of January 11 at the residence of George K. Smith, 1022 Tracy avenue, and as he left he laughingly remarked that he carried a pistol for the first time in his life. In a few minutes he staggered up the steps of the residence with a bullet in his breast. He died two days later. The only statement he ever made was written on a piece of paper. It was simply this:

Without warning. Hold up your hands! Bang, bang!

Although strenuous efforts were made to find the murderers, they seemed fruitless, although it now transpires that the miscreant and his associates were almost immediately arrested, tried for highway robbery and found guilty. They belonged to the gang headed by the notorious Jack Keith, and their names are Charles Ward, alias "Swede Pete," and Charles Williams. When the city was terrorized by footpads last winter the police discovered that Keith and his gang were

THE PRINCIPAL OFFENDERS.

The particulars of their arrest have already appeared in the POST-DISPATCH. Williams and Ward were convicted of highway robbery and the final sentence has not yet been passed upon them because of the developments in the Hynson case. The mystery has been dispelled by Ward, who, during a spirit of remorse, confessed to his cell-mate, a young man named George W. Dixon serving a jail term for misdemeanor, that he shot Hynson. He said that on the night of the murder Keith, Kelly, Williams and himself started out from their headquarters on their nightly highway tour. They went out on Eighteenth street east of Troost avenue and held up an old German. They secured only $2.50. Enraged at their poor success one of the party proposed to spend the money for drinks. The others agreed and they all went to a saloon in the neighborhood and drank until the money gave out. When they left they were all drunk. The party separated. Ward and Williams started up Tracy avenue from Eighteenth street. Ward remarking, "By —, I'm going to hold up the first man I meet."

Williams, who also talked to Ward's cellmate, says that he tried to persuade Ward not to do any more holding up that night as he was so drunk that he was sure to be caught. Ward, however, would not listen to him, and they kept on up Tracy avenue. Young Hynson was the first man they met. They saw him near Tenth and Tracy, and so they say, he slipped and fell as he crossed the cable tracks. A few moments later they overtook him and Ward yelled:

"THROW UP YOUR HANDS!"

and without waiting for him to obey the order fired just as the unfortunate young man turned to see who was calling to him. After Hynson staggered to his feet and began to shoot at them, they ran. The confession is corroborated by strong evidence, which the officials refuse to disclose at present. They have succeeded in keeping the matter secret for some time. The case was laid before the last Grand-jury, which would have returned an indictment had it not been for Prosecuting-Attorney Woodson, who advised secrecy as he believed further evidence could be secured. It is claimed that a member of the Grand-jury let the cat out of the bag. Ward denies this morning that he confessed to Dixon, but his pal Williams corroborated the statement given above. There is no doubt he is the murderer.

MR. JOHN G. KROMER, Cape May, N. J., had Eczema for years, was cured by Helskell's Tetter Ointment.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Fair Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

To-day's market, while fairly active, did not compare with that of yesterday. Transfers to a considerable amount were made, and one or two stocks showed an advance, the general figures of yesterday's market, with few changes, prevailing.

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West Granite about held its own. A sale of 200 shares at 87½, and 100 at 86¾ were made on the street. On 'Change the market opened at 87½, 1,200 shares bringing that price; 1,500 shares sold at 87¼, and 2,000 at 80, the closing quotation. The report freely circulated, that the Bi-Metallic vein had struck a horse and was turning toward the West Granite, was ridiculed by the former company. Those who state that they know of no change whatever in the course of the Bi-Metallic vein.

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Pat Murphy showed the first sharpest advance of any stock. Opening at 76¼, at which 500 shares sold, the price rose to 80, 1,000 shares bringing this figure. 500 sold at 85, 2,000 at 87½, and 1,500 at 90. From this point a slight decline occurred, 500 shares selling at 88¾, and 900 at 88¾, the closing price. It is reported that the ore in the lower drift was most promising, which accounted for the rise in value. Definite information will probably not be received until the disappearance of the snow admits of unimpeded operations.

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Black Oak was $1.01¼ bid, with no sales at this price. Five hundred shares were disposed of on the street at $1.02½. A dispatch was received from Capt. Pattison stating that he had a strong two-foot vein in the upper north level, thus confirming the report previously received.

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Frisco was unusually active, 1,900 shares selling on the street at 72½; 500 on 'Change brought 73¾, and 3,000 at 73. There was a large amount of stock has been disposed of at private sale during the last few days at 72½. Assays received from Superintendent Smith give a much higher value to the ore in the east 200-foot level than had been anticipated, the average of several assays being about seventy-five ounces, where not more than twenty had been looked for.

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Mascotte was in strong demand, owing to the strike reported last night; 500 shares sold at 75, and more offered at this figure. The following telegram was received from Superintendent Owen: "Results from last night's strike assay $290."

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Five hundred San Pablo sold at 43¾, and 1,000 at 45; 2,000 Rena sold at 22½, and 500 at 21¾; 1,000 Jumbo brought 20; San Pedro was 80 bid; 500 Cleveland sold at 10½; 162½ was bid for Central Silver; 1,000 Golden Era brought $1.12½. Cariboo, under favorable reports from the mine, rose from 28¾ to 30; 32½ was offered for Silver Age; Grey Eagle was 5 bid; 12½ was offered for Peacock.

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Ten sacks of ore from the Silver Belle were assayed by Prof. W. P. Potter at the St. Louis Smelting-works, yielding 134.2 ounces of silver and 52.22 ounces of lead.

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A letter was received from the Hope, stating that the vein on the incline in the Porter lode had taken a sharp turn upwards, showing small bunches of rich quartz in the roof. It is hoped that another strike, resembling that made in the winze stope some two years ago, will soon be made. The outlook in the Sam Gaty is very favorable, that vein showing a 15-inch ledge of heavy lead, which is gradually being replaced with copper. A considerable improvement in the silver contents is looked for.

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A dispatch from Benton, Ark., states that the Rabbit Foot mine is showing most favorably. A ton of ore sent to the St. Louis assays higher in nickel and cobalt than any mine in the United States.

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At 35c.

50 pcs 40-inch All-Wool French Debeige, also All-Wool French Tricots, new spring mixtures, 35c; regular 50c to 65c.

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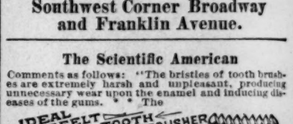

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A COMMON ENEMY

Strikes Down Its Helpless Victims—Saved When All Hope Had Fled.

Very few of the ills from which we suffer are more painful, embarrassing and dangerous than those of the kidneys and bladder. It is important to remember that as we grow older we become more and more subject to affections of the urinary organs, and that the majority of both sexes, who are past fifty, have them in a more or less recognizable form. Take a case—one out of multitudes: Mr. John M. Allen, a well-known and respected citizen of Charlotte, N. Y., had suffered long from gravel. Irritation became increasingly difficult, until it became almost impossible. Physicians of marked skill and ability exerted themselves to relieve him, and succeeded to a degree, but were not able to interrupt the steady and persistent growth of the insidious renal disorder. Mr. Allen was already so exhausted that he came one day not long since into the place of business of his friend, Mr. E. D. Parsons, 369 Plymouth avenue, Rochester, N. Y., and feebly said: "Parsons, I am about dead with the gravel." "Did you ever try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy of Honduc, N. Y.?" asked Mr. Parsons. He tried all the remedies prescribed and patented and kept on sinking downward in spite of them." Nevertheless, Mr. Parsons finally persuaded Mr. Allen to give Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy a chance to help him if it could, and he began using it on that understanding. Weeks went by, and the friends met once more—Mr. Allen looked like a man who had been close to the grave and been snatched back. "Mr. Parsons," he exclaimed, "Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has saved my life. I know its price. A large one is a cure for gravel, and, so far as I know, the only cure." Had Mr. Allen used it occasionally a year or two before the symptoms manifested themselves he never would have had to suffer. Complaints and diseases of the bl

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Price this week	$1.32
A Lovely Plush Photograph Album; fancy design; new	$1.50
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THE SUPPORTERS OF THE PAGEANT TURN AGAINST IT THIS YEAR.

Curtailment of the Fall Festivities by the Elimination of One Feature—A Batch of Advice and Comments From Prominent Business Men—The Day of the Pageant's Glory Is Over and It Must Now Be Chucked Overboard.

This afternoon a meeting is being held in the Mercantile Club on Locust street near Seventh street, of the members of the Trades' Display Association. The object of the meeting is to decide whether or not there shall be a parade this fall. Some time ago the officers of the association learned that numerous subscribers to the association were not content with its work, and a circular was sent to these subscribers by the Secretary, H. C. West. Replies have been received to about one circular in five, and the replies are summarized below:

A MISLEADING SUMMARY.

Are you in favor of a continuance of the Trades' Display pageant?
Yes—52.
No—28.

Do you think that our annual nocturnal exhibitions conflict with or detract from the Veiled Prophets' parade?
Yes—14.
No—45.

Do you think it would be more beneficial to our merchants to have our pageant earlier in the season, say about the beginning of September, and on the evening of the opening of our Exposition when reduced railroad rates could be obtained.
Yes—35.
No—16.

Do you think a refined social gathering, promenade concert or some such enjoyable feature could be carried out in connection with the evening display and add great interest to it?
Yes—18.
No—41.

Can we count on your financial support?
Yes—45.
No—24.

Can we hope to have you put in a float in our display?
Yes—7.
No—37.

Most of the affirmative replies are very faint and are qualified by fuller statements of opinions which follow. Below are some of the qualifications and reservations.

AGAINST THE PARADE.

Sam M. Kennard of the J. Kennard & Sons Carpet Co., and President of the Exposition, says: "Personally, I am not in favor of a continuance. If it should be continued the Exposition Directors would request that you select some other night than the opening of the Exposition. You cannot count on any financial support from our firm."

The Derby & Day Distilling Company answers the question about the "refined social gathering," "yes," and adds, "but no Veiled Prophets' Brass band, free concerts at Schnaider's Garden, with fireworks including set pieces advertising those willing to pay for them would seem to us to be the best plan to accomplish the purpose of the Trades' Display Association."

Phillip Gruner of Ninth and Cass avenue says on this same point: "The idea of a social gathering under such circumstances is a misnomer and an impossibility."

EMPHASIS AND HUMOR.

Nelson Cole answers the question, "Can we count on your financial support?" with a big "NO," which he emphasizes with triple underscores beneath it, double underscores on the sides and above it. Yet he says he is in favor of a continuance of the Trades' Display pageant.

Recorder Wm. A. Hobbs answers the question: "Can we hope to have you put in a float in our display?" by saying: "I'll put a photograph of a marriage license in that, if I have no competition in this branch in St. Louis."

The Collier White Lead Company is in favor of continuing the pageant, but it is not to be counted for support.

H. M. Blossom says: "The field has been reaped."

S. O. Nelson: "We think the fall festivities have grown too extensive and consequently burdensome."

Rosenheim, Levis & Co. say "No" to all questions, and add, "Put your shoulders to the wheel and extend reduced railroad fares during the whole time of the Exposition and from all points, and it will do more than a dozen parades."

S. C. Dunn of Hargadine, McKittrick & Co. says: "Too much similarity to the V. P. pageant, and there being no secrecy or novelty about it deprives it of that interest which the V. P. always command."

F. R. Rice & Co. say: "We think the public is getting altogether too much of this sort of thing."

J. H. Cummings says he is not in favor of continuing the display. He doesn't know and doesn't care whether it interferes with the V. P. or not. The association cannot count on any financial support from him, and he adds: "I think more can be done for St. Louis by watching legislation and railroads and bridges and ferries to get cheap coal and freights than can be done by the gew-gaws."

R. H. Stockton of the Wrought Iron Range Company says: "It partakes too much of an advertisement to be popular. It would seem fitted only for the cross-roads' country trade and in our judgement is not a dignified thing to do. It has had its day."

J. A. Parker of the Parker, Etter & Nicholl Stationery Company says: "The processions and pageants have thus far done a good work. It may be best now to dispense with somewhat of the festivities, and use the same system and organization and some such expenditure to bring actual purchasing merchants here to our city. Parades bring a certain class, but it is doubtful whether they are purchasers, as my information leads me to believe but few lines are benefited on the occasions, except restaurants, hotels, theaters, saloons, etc., and some few retailers."

HAS HAD ITS DAY.

Ely & Walker Dry Goods Company say: "We think the V. P. is enough show business without the Trades' Display parade and that the latter has got to be a chestnut."

The Greeley-Burnham Grocer Company "think all this sort of display has been overdone and don't pay."

John G. Prather begs "to be relieved. There is a limit to human endurance and I am overtaxed."

The Catlin Tobacco Company says: "A concentration of effort in giving our strangers more pleasing and lasting attractions will in our judgment result in greater good to our city than either the Trades' or Veiled Prophets' parades. They both may have served their purposes when we were simply a large village and had nothing better to offer; but now the money which these pageants will cost should be judiciously expended in adding to the attractions of our annual Fair, Exposition and street illumination. The Veiled Prophets' parade is, we understand, a fixed fact for this year at least, and the money which it will cost cannot now be diverted to other purposes; but if this is a poor investment it will not be wise to duplicate it with another one equally poor."

Regarding the "refined social gathering" proposition, J. A. St. John of the Central Type Foundry says: "No, you cannot get a refined gathering in this town. You could get them all in a room 10x10 without being crowded."

W. A. Ramsey of the St. Louis Union Stock Yard Co., says he is not in favor of continuing the Trade's Display pageant "for the reason that it is getting old enough to be weaned, and something new filled in to take its place. It is very expensive to the few and has ceased to be attractive."

B. Nugent & Bro. are not in favor of continuing. They say: "We think its attraction as a novelty is over and that it will not pay for cost and trouble."

Chas. G. Stifel's Brewing Company advise an open air concert, "say at Schnaider's garden, with fireworks, etc."

Joseph Franklin of the William Barr Dry Goods Company is in favor of continuing; "provided it is found to meet a public want."

He adds: "I think the parade has been greatly injured by allowing a repetition of the same floats or almost the same. An entire change is the only salvation and not too much business even then."

Freeman Barnum wants novelty in the parade and comic features.

PLENTY OF ATTRACTIONS WITHOUT IT.

The Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association says: "We believe the Exposition, street illuminations and Veiled Prophets offer sufficient and diversified attraction and entertainment without adding any more to it which it would seem to be crowding things."

The Richardson Drug Company says: "Our festivities are overdone, and it is very laborious. Let us cut them down this year a little."

Geo. D. Barnard says: "There is such a thing as having too much of a good thing. Drop the Trades' Display."

D. Crawford says: "My private opinion is if you don't stop the parade now and let it die in a blaze of glory it will dwindle away, peter out and die a sickly death. This parade has been carried on at the expense of the few and to the advantage of the many. It is about time the few were tired of this business of boosting St. Louis, while many of the rich and powerful interests—such for instance as real estate—spend nothing, but in fact are the real suckers as gobblers of all there is in these things. I candidly believe our own citizens have had a surfeit of parades, shows, illuminations, etc. Give them a rest."

Joseph Specht of the Famous Shoe & Clothing Company says: "I think it has seen its days of drawing power, and does not pay for the outlay. We simply entertain our own people with it. The V. P. is all we require. I would suggest to drop this part of our fall entertainments, and put our strength into the Exposition an V. P."

H. C. Townsend, General Passenger Agent of the Missouri Pacific Railway, says: "I believe that it will be a difficult matter to make a success of this feature of our fall festivities this season."

Ice Pitchers, $5 to $12.

Quadruple Silver-Plated, finest qualities. Come and see our grand stock.

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Cor. 4th and Locust.

TATE'S BIG STEAL.

Report of the Examining Commission to the Kentucky Legislature.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 24.—The report of the commissioners appointed to investigate absconding Treasurer Tate's office was submitted to the Kentucky Legislature today. It contained no sensational disclosures, the deficit being placed in the neighborhood of $230,000, the sum already named. This may be reduced to less than $220,000 if certain papers prove good. Of the seven sections embodied in the report of the commission examining the office of Treasurer Tate the most engaging is that which relates to miscellaneous due-bills and evidences of indebtedness due J. W. Tate, Treasurer, and in his own right. Twenty-seven type-written pages are included in the statement, and the total amount evidenced as due is $99,782.99. It is estimated by those who ought to know that not exceeding one-third of the amount is subject to collection, for the very good reason that a majority of the due-bills have been cancelled long ago, but carelessly left in the treasury. The report shows that the grossest carelessness prevailed in the Treasurer's office during Tate's regime of twenty years.

The Sales of Cashmere Bouquet

exceeded in amount the importations of all toilet soaps, as shown by the U. S. 1887 Treasury Reports.

Jumped Into the River.

An unknown man about 27 or 28 years of age attempted to drown himself in the river shortly after 9 o'clock this morning at the foot of Gasconade street, near the dog-pound. He jumped into the river, but was pulled out by the men employed at the pound before he could drown. A city ambulance was called and the man removed to the City Dispensary. The man is about 5 feet 6 inches tall and wore a woolen jacket. He will probably recover.

If is your duty to yourself to get rid of the foul accumulation in your blood this spring. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine you need to purify, vitalize and enrich your blood.

A Clothier Assigns.

STAUNTON, Va., April 24.—Meyer Oberdorfer, dealer in ready-made clothing, assigned today. His liabilities are $25,000 and assets $20,000.

DOINGS IN THE COURTS.

A BIG BATCH OF DECISIONS FROM THE COURT OF APPEALS.

The Springfield Local Option Election Found to Be Invalid—Held at the Wrong Date—A Hannibal Sunday Law Case Reversed for Defective Information — A Large Number of City and Country Cases Reversed—Opinions Handed Down To-Day in the Circuit Court—Legal News and Notes.

The Court of Appeals met to-day and handed down the following batch of decisions by Judges Rombauer, Thompson and Peers:

James P. Edwards vs. Fannie Crenshaw, administratrix; appeal from Green County; judgment reversed and cause remanded.

W. M. Barnes vs. Continental Insurance Company; appeal from Webster County; judgment affirmed.

George W. Wiseman vs. St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Railway Company; appeal from Mississippi County; judgment reversed and cause remanded.

Jacob Matney vs. Kansas City, Springfield & Memphis R. R. Co.; appeal from Webster County; judgment affirmed.

City of Cape Girardeau vs. Pauline A. Fongen; appeal from Cape Girardeau; judgment affirmed.

G. B. Draper vs. J. A. Fitzgerald; appeal from Lawrence County; judgment affirmed.

T. T. Gantt et al. vs. G. V. B. Mechin, executor of A. Wolfinger; judgment affirmed."

State of Missouri vs. Edward H. Ohmer; appeal from Hannibal Court of Common Pleas; judgment reversed and defendant discharged.

Alfred Bevis vs. Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company; judgment affirmed.

Wm. P. Baird vs. John P. Taylor; appeal from Dunklin County; judgment reversed.

B. J. Kinnon vs. Kansas City, Springfield & Memphis Railroad Co.; appeal from Howell County; judgment reversed and cause remanded.

Geo. Barrie vs. Emil F. Seidel; judgment affirmed.

Samuel O. Elder, Jr., vs. G. J. Oliver; appeal from Louisiana Court of Common Pleas; judgment affirmed.

State of Missouri ex rel. vs. F. M. Wideman, appeal from Jefferson County; judgment affirmed.

David M. Ritter vs. First National Bank of Springfield, Mo.; appeal from Greene County; judgment affirmed.

James Ackley et al. vs. St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway Company; appeal from Jefferson County; judgment affirmed.

John H. Black et al. vs. Benjamin F. Cornell, U. A. Ross et al.; appeal from Knox County; judgment reversed and cause remanded.

Wm. Goedeke vs. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company; judgment affirmed.

State to use of Kitchell et al. vs. Henry Anthony; judgment reversed.

Andrew Hoolan vs. David Bailey; judgment affirmed.

Johanna Pierce vs. William Georger; case transferred to Supreme Court.

State of Missouri vs. Walter Gregory; appeal from St. Louis Criminal Court; judgment affirmed.

In the matter of R. S. Woolbridge; appeal from Greene County; demurrer to reply overruled and prisoner discharged.

D. Misselhorn vs. Reserve Fund Life Association; judgment affirmed.

St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railroad Company vs. Wm. G. Schneider et al.; appeal from Cape Girardeau; judgment affirmed.

Wm. P. Baird et al. vs. James P. George; appeal from Dunklin County; judgment affirmed.

Geo. T. Price vs. Wm. A. McCanse, administrator of John C. Price; appeal from Greene County; judgment affirmed."

John Lally vs. Thomas Cantwell; judgment reversed and cause remanded.

Solomon Klein et al. vs. Wm. Fischer; judgment affirmed.

State of Missouri vs. George Livesay; appeal from Lawrence County; judgment affirmed.

The Springfield Local Option Case.

The Court of Appeals to-day rendered a decision in the Wooldridge habeas corpus case affecting the validity of the local option election at Springfield. Wooldridge was committed to jail for non-payment of a fine of $300 assessed against him by a justice of the peace for violation of the local option law. Habeas corpus proceedings were instituted, and the Court of Appeals overrules the demurrer to the reply of the petitioner to the return or answer. The court orders him to be discharged from custody on the following ground: "If the averment in the reply is true, and for the purpose of the demurrer it must be so considered, namely that the local option election was held in the city of Springfield within sixty days of a municipal election, then the election so held was necessarily invalid, because it was held on some other day than the one on which an election under the law could legally be held." The election was held in Springfield, October 20, 1887, and in September, 1887, a municipal election was held at which a councilman was elected. The decision has the effect of holding the election in Springfield to be invalid.

Judge Seddon's Decisions.

Judge Seddon to-day rendered the following decisions in cases under advisement:

Pope vs. Schneidt; judgment for the defendant.

Manion vs. Carreras; motion for rehearing overruled.

Schmidt vs. Schmoeller; judgment for plaintiff for $2,118.64.

Sternschuss vs. Sternschuss; motion to set aside order for additional security for costs overruled.

Dale vs. Ashbrook; motion to strike out parts of answer overruled as to paragraph 5 and sustained as to paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6.

Gottschalk vs. Klueger; motion for new trial overruled.

Bloodgood vs. Missouri Pacific Railroad Co.; demurrer to petition sustained.

State to use of Abert Gottschalk; motion to set aside nonsuit overruled.

Powers vs. Powers; decree for the plaintiff for maintenance of minors and plaintiff allowed out of estate of Florence Powers $900, Chas. W. Powers $900 and Joseph J. Powers $250.

Logan vs. Baldridge; demurrer to second amended petition sustained.

City vs. Scales; exception to report of Commissioners sustained and plaintiff allowed to amend petition.

Chouquette vs. O'Reilly; demurrer to separate answer of city overruled.

Holland vs. Bambrick-Bates Construction Company; demurrer to petition overruled.

Besch vs. Western Carriage Company; judgment for defendant for possession of property; 1 cent damages.

Chamberlain vs. Tracy; motion for new trial sustained.

Discharged for Defect.

The Court of Appeals to-day rendered a decision in the case of Edward H. Ohmer from the Hannibal Court of Common Pleas. Ohmer was tried before a jury, convicted and fined for selling cigars in violation of the Sunday law. The Court of Appeals reverses the judgment and orders Ohmer to be discharged on the ground that the information filed in the case was defective. The complaint was not made and verified as required by section 2025 Revised Statues, and the court below erred in not arresting the judgment.

Judge Dillon's Decisions.

Judge Dillon to-day handed down the following decisions in cases taken under advisement:

Lucas vs. McCann et al.; dismissal as to defendant McCann; judgment against defendants Haughey & McFarland for $190.30.

Kessler vs. Le Brun; demurrer to return and motion to quash return of service on defendant overruled.

City vs. Seiferer; motion for new trial sustained.

State to use of Collector vs. Lucy G. Taylor et al.; demurrer of defendants, Charles E. Bobb and Martha E. Bobb overruled.

Fortune vs. Harrington et al.; demurrer of defendant Harrington to petition sustained.

Notes in Court.

Annie M. Robinson asks for a decree of divorce from William E. Robinson. They were married at Olney in December, 1874, and the final separation took place last June. Mrs. Robinson alleges that her husband failed to support her; that he shamefully neglected her when she was sick, that he was given up to drinking and dissipation and subjected her to indignities rendering her condition intolerable. She was compelled to go back to her relatives.

The Public Administrator to-day took charge of the estate of Cecilia Ellen Potts.

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HOME AGAIN.

Bishop Ryan of Buffalo, N. Y., Returns From Rome.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Bishop Stephen Vincent Ryan of Buffalo arrived in New York yesterday on the steamship La Bretagne. A delegation of clergymen from that town welcomed him home. Bishop Ryan said: "The voyage was a very pleasant one and dissipated a trifling illness I had shortly before the trip. I have enjoyed excellent health while away. There was no import attached to my visit, other than I wished to pay my respects to Pope Leo and to make my decennial report. The people of Buffalo took advantage of my trip and made me the bearer of numerous souvenirs to the Pope on the occasion of the jubilee celebration. I had several audiences and was received very kindly, the Pope manifesting great pleasure in listening to the prosperity of the United States. While in Rome I was made an honorary member of the committee chosen to present President Cleveland's gift of a copy of the Constitution of the United States. The Pontiff was highly gratified with the gift and expressed his admiration of the present and the great freedom and religious tolerance of the country. The subject of Dr. McGlynn's conduct was never touched upon. The press of this country is giving the subject too much prominence."

Bishop Ryan, while abroad, journeyed to the Holy Land. He visited Jerusalem, a city which he thought could be crowded into two or three streets of New York. The many beggars there and the extreme poverty displayed impressed him.

Will Welcome the Bishop.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 24.—Bishop Ryan of this city and the neighboring Catholic diocese, who arrived in New York Saturday will reach here Wednesday night. His reception will be one of the most notable ever in this section. The Catholic Church and beneficiary bodies from all sections of Western New York, have asked room in the procession which will be many miles in length.

The German Baptists.

STAUNTON, Va., April 24.—The committee to select a place for the annual convention or encampment of the German Baptists of the United States has decided on Harrisonburg, Va. The convention will be held the first Tuesday after Whitsunday in 1889. From 10,000 to 15,000 persons of this denomination, representing every State and Territory in the Union, usually attend these annual gatherings.

Sufferers from Coughs, Sore Throat, etc., should try "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*," a simple but sure remedy. *Sold only in boxes.* Price 25 cents.

A QUIET WEDDING.

Marriage This Afternoon of Miss Rebecca Massengale to Wm. M. Rhett.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon Miss Rebecca Massengale, second daughter of the late Maj. Henry Massengale, will be married to William Means Rhett, a scion of two of the oldest South Carolina families. Owing to the recent death of the father of the bride the ceremony will be very quietly performed at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. E. V. Pickett, No. 215 North Ewing avenue, Rev. Ingraham of Grace Episcopal Church officiating. There will be no one present except the members of the immediate family.

The bride, a beautiful brunette, tall and graceful, will wear the wedding gown worn by her mother. It is of heavy cream white satin brocade, draped with fine silk bolting cloth, and made with a deep pointed waist finished over the shoulders with folds of gauze, high puffed shoulder sleeves. The wedding veil of tulle will be worn without ornament, and in her hand she carries a bunch of lilies of the valley. After the ceremony and repast Mr. and Mrs. Rhett will leave for a bridal trip to his old home in South Carolina. After an absence of a fortnight they will be established on Pine street between Channing and Grand avenue.

Notes.

Mrs. Dr. Chase is entertaining Miss May Irwin of St. Joseph.

Mrs. E. O. Holliday has returned from a visit to relatives in the country.

Miss Alice K. Dudley arrived on Friday from Duquoin to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ed. Pierce and daughter left Saturday night for Eureka Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Triplett left yesterday for a visit to Eureka Springs.

Mrs. J. K. Byers left last night to visit her mother, Mrs. J. B. Patterson.

Mrs. Dr. DeMenil has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. G. A. Bacon.

Miss Jessie Prickett has arrived from Edwardsville to attend the Rhett-Massengale wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Hebert are guests at present of his uncle, Thomas E. Richeson of No. 100 South Sixteenth street.

Mrs. G. W. Menges left last night for Omaha, Neb., to attend the marriage of her cousin, Miss Mollie Bright.

Miss Mary Alice McLaran returned this week from Hannibal, Mo., where she has been visiting Miss Annie Gauth.

Mrs. Mills is at home again after a stay of six weeks at Pass Christian. She did not go to Florida as she expected.

Mrs. A. R. Fleming of Lucas place leaves tomorrow to spend a couple of weeks with her parents near Jacksonville.

Mrs. A. S. Barnes of Easton avenue returns to-morrow from a visit of several days to her friend, Mrs. Spence, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Billingsly will leave on Wednesday for New York, to be absent several months for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Edward Smith of Kansas City is spending several days in the city, having arrived yesterday to attend the Bunton-Billingsly wedding.

The Misses Phelan who have been visiting their uncle, Dr. Phelan, enjoying a gay season, will return with their father, the United States Consul to Halifax, to their home at St. Johns.

Miss Emma Barney, who was to have been one of the bridesmaids at Miss Billingsly's wedding, has been detained at San Francisco in quarantine for a couple of weeks. She is accompanied in her return from China by her sister, Mrs. Warde Hall, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Barney of Lucas place.

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THE OHIO VALLEY EXPOSITION.

Gov. Beaver Trying to Interest Pennsylvania Manufacturers in the Matter.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 24.—Gov. Beaver has issued a notice to Pennsylvania manufacturers and others interested in the Centennial Exposition of the Ohio Valley and Central States, to be held at Cincinnati from July 4 to October 24, stating that the authorities having the exposition in charge are greatly hindered and delayed by reason of their want of knowledge as to the amount of space likely to be required by Pennsylvania exhibitors. He earnestly urges upon all persons desiring to be represented at the exposition and requiring space as exhibitors, to make known to Levi C. Goodale, Esq., Chairman of the Department of State, Cincinnati, O., immediately the amount and character of space required by them respectively, together with the amount of power, if any, and all other facts necessary to an intelligent understanding of the needs of Pennsylvania exhibitors. No provision has been made by the commonwealth for a public exhibit, but manufacturers and others are earnestly urged to make provision for liberal space immediately.

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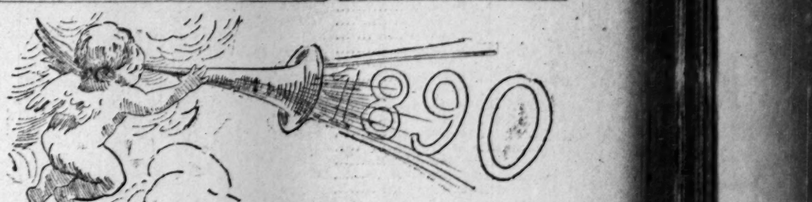
Sick and Despondent.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOONVILLE, Mo., April 24.—Joseph Heckenberger, an old citizen, committed suicide yesterday evening about 7 o'clock by shooting himself through the head. He had been sick for several months and became despondent. He leaves a wife and child.



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THE CUTTING CASE.

Senor Romero Defends Mariscal's Answer—Secretary Bayard's Position.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Senor Romero said to the POST-DISPATCH correspondent that Senor Mariscal's answer in the Cutting case had been misunderstood. He thinks it is respectful in its tone, and that it discusses with due regard to the United States, a very important question on international law, mentioning Cutting only in an incidental way. Senor Romero wished to correct what he thought was a mistake on the part of the press, and that is the supposition that Mexico is sore or offended because Congress has not issued the necessary legislation to put in operation the reciprocity treaty signed January 20, 1883.

"That treaty," said Mr. Romero, "never was received with much favor by the Mexican people. The Conservative party was decidedly opposed to it, and the Liberals were quite lukewarm in their support of the treaty and did not regret at all its defeat. As a proof of this let me mention the fact that when the treaty was seriously attacked by the Conservative papers I had to come to its defense, the Liberal papers alone copying my articles."

SECRETARY BAYARD'S POSITION.

Secretary Bayard declines to say anything concerning the Cutting correspondence, except that the question of apology and indemnity is still pending. He thinks Mexico ought to agree with his view of the case, apologize to the United States and pay some little indemnity as evidence of its contrition. In due time an answer will be made to Senor Mariscal's letter by the State Department, refusing to accept the Mexican view of international law and reiterating our demand for an apology and indemnity. Mexico has already pointed out that if the United States Government is dissatisfied, the practical way to come to a satisfactory conclusion on this point is to make a convention between the two countries and establish uniform and accepted principles on this subject which should be mutually enforced in both. This Mr. Bayard positively declines to do, as that would, in his opinion, be a retreat from the stand taken by the President, that the United States is right and Mexico is wrong. The Mexican Government has already called attention to the provisions of the treaty of 1848, which in art. 21 provides as follows:

"If unhappily Governments of the two Republics, neither with respect to the interpretation of any stipulation in this treaty, or with respect to any other particular concerning the political or commercial relations of the two nations, the said governments, in the name of those nations, do promise to each other that they will endeavor in the most sincere and earnest manner to settle the differences so arising, and to preserve the state of peace and friendship in which the two countries are now placing themselves, using for this end mutual representations and pacific negotiations.

"And if by these means they should not be enabled to come to an agreement a resort shall not, on this account be had to reprisals, aggression or hostility of any kind by the one Republic against the other until the government of that which deems itself aggrieved shall have maturely considered in the spirit of peace and good neighborship whether it would not be better that such difference should be settled by the arbitration of commissioners appointed on each side or by that of a friendly nation, and should such course be proposed by either party it shall be acceded to by the other unless deemed by it altogether incompatible with the nature of the difference or the circumstances of the case."

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9	33,160	25	31,900
10	35,000	26	32,830
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TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1888.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

OLYMPIC—"Arabian Nights."
PEOPLE'S—Peter F. Baker in "Chris and Lena."
POPE'S—"Only a Woman's Heart."
STANDARD—"The Night Owls."

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BLUE *The indications for twenty-four hours, commencing at 3 p. m. to-day, for Missouri are: Threatening weather, with rain, preceded in eastern portion by fair weather; generally warmer, brisk to high southerly winds.*

THE harder the Glover boom is hammered the more solid it gets.

NO RAILROAD leading into St. Louis will lose money by making low rates to the Saengerfest.

CHICAGO is now to have a monthly magazine devoted to literature and tariff reform—a blow at our infant industries.

THE hall of the National Democratic Convention will have room for fifteen thousand people and only one candidate.

IN spite of the requirements of our advertisers—never more pressing than this season—all the news will be found in our news columns.

NONE of our esteemed contemporaries are engaged in clipping extracts from the country papers urging the grangers to support the grain-pit of the Merchants' Exchange.

INDIANA'S delegates may go to Chicago instructed for HARRISON, Ohio's for SHERMAN, California's for STANFORD, and Pennsylvania's for CAMERON, but they will all probably seize the first decisive opportunity for nominating BLAINE.

THE Democrats are willing in deference to the Republican Senate to admit Dakota as a whole and thus give the railroads and the trusts two more Senators, but are not willing to divide the Territory so as to give them four more. They have too much power in the Senate already.

THE street-sprinkling contracts go into effect to-day. There is hereafter no excuse for failure to sprinkle on any improved street, and as the POST-DISPATCH has gained the credit for the passage of the street-sprinkling amendment and ordinance, it accepts the responsibility for seeing that the resultant contracts are carried out. We request our subscribers to report any failure to sprinkle in front of their premises, giving name and address, and if the streets are not sprinkled something will be raised beside dust. Anonymous communications will not be noticed.

THE ex-Confederates who seceded from the Democratic party to assume the leadership of the Republican party in Virginia have seceded from each other, and ex-Gov. CAMERON, ex-Congressman WISE and ex-Senator JOHN F. LEWIS are all engaged in a red-hot revolt against MAHONE.

JUDGE GRESHAM was born on St. Patrick's day, 1833, in Harrison County, Indiana, but the Republicans have an idea that they can make sure of carrying their State only by having a member of GARFIELD'S church on the ticket. So they instruct their delegation for HARRISON in preference to GRESHAM.

OWING to an accident to one of our presses yesterday a part of the carriers' edition was late in reaching subscribers. This was not the carriers' fault, and the delay is not likely to occur again. In two days we shall have our third press in running order in our new building, and we expect then to fairly meet the demands of our circulation.

GREAT injustice has been done to Mayor FRANCIS by an impression which has gained currency throughout the State that he was in someway implicated in the FRALEY failure. Of course, it is possible that the house of D. R. FRANCIS & Co. was using its large capital and ample resources on the same side of the market with FRALEY, that is in artificially depressing the price of the farmer's products, but there is no evidence of any other relations between the two eminent dealers, than such as exist between fellow traders in the "pit."

LAST fall the New York WORLD made a magnificent but unsuccessful campaign to prevent the election of Col. FELLOWS to the District Attorneyship. Col. FELLOWS was so strongly backed by the Democratic organization that he succeeded in getting President CLEVELAND to forget his position and to endorse the whole ticket on which FELLOWS ran. But although the President endorsed FELLOWS, a judge on the bench has endorsed the WORLD and has handed down a decision appointing a referee to determine just how much Col. FELLOWS is liable for out of the proceeds of an estate which came into his hands in 1871 and which he has never accounted for. We should be very unwilling to believe that President CLEVELAND admires that kind of legal ability which is able to appropriate trust money and keep the owners at bay for sixteen years.

St. Louis Grain Gamblers.

From the Kansas City Times (Dem.)

In the recent attempt of Moses Fraley, D. R. Francis & Bro. and other "bear" operators on St. Louis 'Change to hammer down the price of grain, the first mentioned speculator went to the wall. As stated in the dispatches at the time, D. R. Francis & Bro. tried to break the upward movement of grain by throwing 500,000 bushels on the market, but prices remained firm and Fraley went under.

Speculation on the St. Louis Board is becoming more and more understood and disliked among the farming classes in Missouri. The grain board is not a grain market but a gambling hell. In proportion as speculation flourishes, the interests of legitimate trade suffer. In addition to the depressing effect of speculation upon the farming industry hundreds of young men in country towns have been drawn into the grain gambling maelstrom and ruined. Cunning old timers of the Fraley and Francis stripe have eaten up these raw youngsters when they have essayed gambling on the St. Louis Board.

Meantime the farmers of the State are groaning under mortgages representing money that has gone into the pockets of the "pulls" and "bears" on the Grain Board. If there is some way to reach grain gambling by law, that way ought to be found out and applied by the Legislature.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

B. M.—The name of the game you ask about is spelled "craps."

F. L. T.—It is not correct to say "Your eyes are bloodshotten."

J. M. E.—The new Capitol building of Texas will be dedicated May 16.

A READER.—The Pacific Ocean is more stormy than the Atlantic.

W. M.—The Duff Opera Company will not be in St. Louis this season.

GEO. A. JONES.—President Lincoln was elected the second time he took his seat.

A. B. C.—There is no law in Missouri prohibiting the marriage of first cousins.

WEST END.—Dealers charge as much as $1.50 for a cent of 1803, but give little premium on it.

B. B. E.—A letter addressed in care of the Bijou Theater, New York City, will reach Henry E. Dixey.

THOS. ANDERSON.—The population of England at the present time is estimated at less than 5,000,000.

LAST FRINGER.—We do not give the addresses of private detectives outside of the advertising columns.

CONSTANT READER.—There is little premium on a 25-cent piece of 1853 with arrows. Dealers sell it at 40 cents, and give very little for it.

A FOOL.—1. The population of St. Louis at present is estimated at about 475,000; that of Boston about 400,000. 2. January 1, 1800, was Wednesday.

M. MCL.—No man giving the name you mention was arrested among the gang of Kansas horse-thieves led by a girl. If he were among them he gave another name.

SUBSCRIBER.—The population of St. Andrews, Fla., is not yet recorded, and hence we cannot give you the exact number. It is a small village without railroad connection.

S. BURRELL.—As there has never been a formal contest for the championship of clog dancing, no one can be said properly to hold the title, although many assume it for advertising purposes.

SUBSCRIBER.—As the name of the German warbling song sung by Minnie Palmer in her last engagement here does not appear in the programme and is not known to the musicians who played the accompaniment, we cannot give it you.

INQUIRER, Lexington, Mo.—1. You can get a full list of coin premiums in the WORLD Almanac, for sale at this office at 25 cents per copy. Your list is too long to answer all of them in this column. 2. There is no premium on a nickel without the word "cents," and there never will be, according to the opinion of dealers.

C. E. S.—The English Government never conferred the title of Baron on any of the Rothschilds. Austria, in 1822, gave that title to Nathan, third of the five sons of Meyer Anselm Rothschild, founder of the family. Nathan had settled in England. He never assumed the title, but his eldest son, Lionel Nathan, succeeded to it on his father's death, July 28, 1836.

VICTORIA IN GERMANY.

THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND VISITS HER DYING SON-IN-LAW.

A Cordial Welcome Extended Her Majesty by the Imperial Family and the People of Berlin—Dr. Mackenzie to Sue German Papers for Libel—The Emperor's Condition—Gladstone and the Budget Bill—Foreign News.

BERLIN, April 24.—This morning's bulletin says that the Emperor passed a very good night. His fever this morning is quite insignificant and his general condition somewhat better.

THE EMPEROR'S FOOD.

The *North German Gazette* says that the Emperor's fever increased yesterday towards evening and that the discharge of pus continued in a moderate degree. The Emperor's food is very carefully selected. It consists of various kinds of meat, light vegetables, milk with grape sugar and white bread. Care is taken that he shall not take more than he is able to easily digest. Swallowing causes him no inconvenience.

QUEEN VICTORIA WARMLY WELCOMED.

The *North German Gazette*, referring to the visit of the Queen of England, says: "Her Majesty will be welcomed by the whole population of Germany, and above all by the inhabitants of Berlin, with the veneration and sympathy so justly due one who has for many years ruled a friendly state, and who is the mother of our Empress. All German hearts will thankfully accept as a token of the Queen's deep sympathy for the fate of our reigning house, the fact that she comes to the sick bed of our beloved Emperor and personally shares the deep affliction and great anxiety with which we are filled to-day. May she be enabled to bring comfort and hope and when she departs from Germany to take with her the assurance that the sympathy she has displayed will always be kept in grateful remembrance here."

THE QUEEN AND THE EMPEROR.

The Queen paid a visit to the Emperor shortly after her arrival at the castle. The doctors feared that the meeting would excite the Emperor and possibly upset him, but their fears were groundless. The Emperor seemed rather brighter after the interview and his temperature was normal.

WARM GREETINGS AND CHEERS.

Queen Victoria arrived at Charlottenburg at 9 o'clock this morning. The Empress, the Crown Prince and Crown Princess and the Prince and Princess of Saxe-Meiningen received her at the depot. Prince Henry and his sisters, the Princesses Victoria Sophie and Margaret, Sir Edward Malet, the British Ambassador at Berlin; the Duke of Rutland and the Burgomaster and Municipal Council of Berlin, were also present. The greetings between Queen Victoria and the royal family of Germany were warm. The Crown Prince conducted the Queen to an open carriage, drawn by four horses, which she entered, and with the Empress beside her was driven to the castle. Crowds of people lined the route and cheered enthusiastically as the carriage passed.

CORDIALLY WELCOMED.

The Emperor rose to receive the Queen and cordially welcomed her. He afterwards withdrew to his own apartments. The Queen, accompanied by the Empress, will visit and take tea with the Dowager Empress, Augusta this afternoon. Her Majesty will afterwards pay a visit to the castle where the Emperor when he was Crown Prince resided. To morrow the staff of the British Embassy will be presented to the Queen. Later the Queen will receive Prince Bismarck.

A SLOWLY PROGRESSIVE IMPROVEMENT.

The *North German Gazette* says that the Emperor's condition shows clearly a perceptible tendency towards a slowly progressive improvement. His fever has diminished regularly during the last few days. His temperature to-day was 38 degrees Celsius. His physicians hope for a further abatement in view of the recent symptoms developed, and they find reason for hope in the return of his appetite. The fact that the Emperor has hitherto taken a fair quantity of nourishment is solely due to the urgent recommendation of his physicians. Good results followed the observance of their advice and His Majesty's present disposition to take solid food is a satisfactory symptom. "But," says the paper, "it is necessary to exercise caution in pronouncing judgment in the present aspect of the case. The Emperor showed some emotion on receiving Queen Victoria to-day, but he apparently suffered no ill effects from the meeting. Dr. Krause will leave the castle for the present."

GLADSTONE ON THE BUDGET BILL.

The Liberal Unionists—Landlords Relieved of a Heavy Tax.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 24.—Gladstone's speech on the amendment to the budget bill yesterday recalls his former triumphs as a financier, which are cordially acknowledged nowadays by his foes as well as his friends. He spoke upwards of an hour with marvelous vigor and animation and held the attention of a crowded house as only he, among English public men, can do, when involving masses of figures.

THE LIBERAL-UNIONISTS.

The action of the Liberal-Unionists leaves no further room to doubt that they must be identified in future, to all practical purposes, with the Tories.

TAXES.

The only excuse for the distinction hitherto existing in the duties on real and personal property was the contributions paid by the landowners for local rates. Goschen has now removed this by relieving the landowners to the extent of £4,000,000 sterling yearly. Yet not even John Bright would vote in favor of a principle so obviously just. He preferred to attend instead a social reception last evening in the aristocratic neighborhood of Park lane.

O'DONNELL'S ACTION.

O'Donnell's action for libel against the *Times* is expected to be tried the first week in May. Then for the first time the notorious pamphlet, "Parnellism and Crime," will be brought before a court of justice. Parnell will be among the witnesses.

EMPEROR FREDERICK'S DOCTORS.

Dr. Mackenzie Brings an Action for Libel Against Certain Papers.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 24.—Drs. Mackenzie and Hovell sent joint letters to the *Times*, announcing the bringing of an action for libel against the Cologne *Gazette* and *Kreuz Zeitung* for publishing an account of an alleged incident in connection with the Emperor's illness on the 11th and reproduced in the *Times* on the 16th. Dr. Mackenzie forwarded for publication to the *Scotsman* correspondence between himself and Dr. Lowe, the Berlin correspondent of the *Times*. To-day's *Scotsman* has not yet reached London, but through the kindness of Dr. Mackenzie I have been favored with a proof-sheet. Briefly, Dr. Mackenzie's contention is this: Both himself and his English colleague encountered much hostility in Germany on account of their nationality. The feeling naturally finds expression in the organs of the Junker and military party. The chief papers of this class, the Cologne *Gazette* and *Kreuz Zeitung*, published a sensational item of news stating that the Emperor was almost throttled, owing to the clumsy treatment of Mackenzie and Hovell, in connection with placing the rectangular canula in his throat, and that Dr. Mackenzie had to send for Bergman, who was only just in time. Lowe attacked Dr. Mackenzie while at San Remo, but came and offered his services at Berlin in return for news. Dr. Mackenzie refused to see him, hence Lowe reproduced every disparaging statement of the Chanomist press, carefully abstaining from indicating to the *Times'* readers the policy of the papers quoted, and at the same time omitting to say that anything favorable appeared in the more impartial organs. In reproducing the offending statement Lowe hinted that it came from Dr. Bergman, and vouched for the fact that the Emperor was in serious danger. Dr. Mackenzie denies the statement, and refuses to believe Bergman guilty of circulating false reports to damage the reputation of his brother practitioner. This is how the matter stands at present in regard to what promises to become a cause celebre.

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE.

Mr. Gillig Taken to London—The Liabilities and Assets.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 24.—Mr. Gillig of the American Exchange was brought here last evening from Liverpool. The stories of his extreme illness appear to have been exaggerated, although his physical and mental condition is distressing. Numerous inquiries were made yesterday by depositors about their claims under liquidation. It has been found that it will require at least three months to wind up the affairs of the concern and there is no prospect of more than a 10-per-cent dividend to stockholders. The principal liabilities are in the United States. It is estimated that the liabilities on this side will not exceed £30,000. There was a sum of £2,000 in the London branch at the time of the failure. It is estimated that this sum will be necessary to pay the cost of the liquidation.

England.

MAPLESON'S CREDITORS.

LONDON, April 24.—The creditors of Col. Mapleson, the operatic manager, held a meeting to-day and accepted an offer of $2,500 in settlement of all his debts.

France.

A CREDIT FOR DEFENSE WORKS.

PARIS, April 24.—Admiral Krantz, Minister of Marine, will introduce a bill in the Chamber of Deputies asking for a credit of 62,000,000 francs, to be expended upon defense works at Brest, Cherbourg and Toulon. The Minister proposes that the money be provided by a series of credits, covering a period of eight years.

The Dominion.

THE WHITE OBSEQUIES.

OTTAWA, Ontario, April 24.—Parliament adjourned last night until Wednesday out of respect to the memory of the Hon. Mr. White. A large number of the members will attend Mr. White's funeral in Montreal. A special train carrying the body of the deceased left here this morning at 9:45 o'clock. Sir John Macdonald, when he rose to move the adjournment of the House, was so completely overcome with emotion that he was unable to proceed, and moved that Sir Hector Langevin take his place. This Sir Hector did, paying a high tribute to the memory of the deceased. Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the leader of the Opposition, seconded the motion and highly eulogized Mr. White.

BRITISH PAUPERS.

TORONTO, Ontario, April 24.—The City Council last night passed a resolution emphatically protesting against the continuance of the practice of shipping to Canada destitute persons from charitable institutions in Great Britain. A copy of the resolution will be sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

HISSED HIM ON THE STREET.

The Fallen Social Lion of Springfield, Mo., Makes a Bad Break.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 24.—Whitney, or Spurgeon, the society immaculate, who is under arrest for embezzlement, was hissed on the street this morning by a crowd of young ladies whom he recognized. It seems he has been rather a Lothario in his attentions to society girls here, and became engaged to at least two young ladies at the same time. His attentions to other lady members of Springfield society has been very marked, and the past winter was marked by several receptions and balls given by him in honor of his lady friends. When it was developed that he had a wife and three children in Baltimore, the sympathy of all his lady friends was changed to indignation, and he has been most bitterly denounced on every side. He very nervily braves the storm, however, and shows himself on the public square, with a smile on his face which seems to be reflected by the new suit of latest fashionable cut in which he has ordered himself. He telegraphed home last night that he was arrested and would joyfully welcome the time when he would arrive in old Baltimore.

MOSES FRALEY HAS SETTLED.

He Talks About His Losses and Gives Some of the Figures To-Day.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 24.—Moses Fraley has settled with his St. Louis creditors. This settlement was accomplished yesterday, and speaking of it to a POST-DISPATCH reporter to-day he said: "No one in St. Louis can now say that I owe him a cent. More than this, there is no mortgage on any of my property, nor confidential debts outstanding of any kind in this city. I have paid cash, too, and to-day I am completing a settlement with my Chicago creditors. Can those who failed and owe me money say as much? With regard to not a few of them, I think not. Yes, it is true that I have lost a sum ranging from $400,000 to $500,000, but I do not call my loss a failure. The market was simply against me, and I did the best thing I could under the circumstances rather than let the other fellows squeeze me for all I had. You must remember that I bought in on call on April 18 just 2,650,000 bushels in contracts, and about the same date settled for in private contracts 1,500,000 bushels. In two days I was compelled to put up $208,000, so on the whole I think I have done fairly well."

Political Debates.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LAWRENCE, Kan., April 24.—Considerable interest has been aroused over a series of discussions to take place between the Jeffersonian Club and the Young Men's Republican Club of this city, on the political issues of the day. These clubs are the leading ones of the State and the debates promise to be unusually interesting. The first contest will take place on May 3, at the headquarters of the Republican Club, the question being "The Issues Presented by the President's Message." The Jefferson Club will attend the Democratic National Convention in a body. The club has adopted a uniform and will go in fine style.

Farmington (Mo.) W. C. T. U.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FARMINGTON, Mo., April 24.—The W. C. T. U. of St. Francois County held their convention in this city last evening, and elected officers for the ensuing year, also delegates to the Ironton Convention which meets to day. Mrs. Hoffman, State President of the organization, was present and delivered an address.

Died of Her Injuries.

Sarah Roberts, the young woman who was burned by coal oil at the northwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Benton streets yesterday morning while pouring waste oil out of some lamps which she was cleaning, into the fire, died at 10 o'clock this morning of her injuries.

Belleville.

The Board of School Trustees met this morning and appointed Mr. Edward Leopold school Treasurer in place of Curt Heinfelden. Leopold received all three votes.

Sheriff Ragland has appointed Edward Dawson jailer, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his mother, who held the position for fourteen years.

MR. W. C. STEIGERS

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

WASHINGTON.

MR. FAIRCHILD STRONGLY OPPOSED TO THE FRACTIONAL CURRENCY BILL.

The Secretary Appears Before the Senate Finance Committee—Discussion of the Mills Tariff Bill in the House—Imported Foreign Labor—Offers of Bonds—The Direct Tax Bill—Proceedings in Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Secretary Fairchild appeared before the Senate Finance Committee to-day at the request of the committee to present his views on the bill which has passed the House, providing for the issue of fractional currency. The Secretary strongly opposed the bill. He asserted that previous issues of fractional currency had cost in the expense of production and the loss from destruction as much as the entire face value of the average circulation maintained. He did not believe that public convenience required a reissue, nor that it would be popular. Fractional silver and the postal note system met all purposes which fractional notes could serve, except by a very large issue extending to the most remote parts of the country, and requiring years in its preparation. The cost and loss incident to such an issue and its manifest disadvantages, which led to its abandonment, were to his mind conclusive reasons against a renewal of such circulation. The Comptroller of the Currency, Mr. Trenholm, also appeared before the committee to suggest some minor modifications of the bill to reimburse depositors in the Freedmen's Bank.

House Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Owing to a failure to get a quorum until nearly noon the session of the Ways and Means Committee today lasted only about ten minutes. The limitation of debate on the tariff bill was not referred to and the committee contented itself with sending the Mills surplus bill, with the Spooner-Beck amendment, as passed by the Senate, to a subcommittee composed of Messrs. Mills, McMillen and Kelly, and ordering a favorable report on the Breckenridge resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury for information regarding the importation of foreign labor and its effects upon American industries.

The Direct Tax Bill.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Col. Oates of Alabama, who led the fight against the direct tax bill, says that he hardly thinks the Republican Senators will attach the bill as an amendment to any of the appropriation bills. Should they do so, he thinks the Democrats of the House would vote together to strike it out. He says that he has pledged himself to permit a vote on the bill in December without filibustering. He expects the President will veto it, but has no personal assurance from Mr. Cleveland to that effect.

Offers of Bonds.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Offers for the sale of bonds to the Government were opened at the Treasury Department to-day by Acting Secretary Thompson as follows: Four and a half per cent bonds, registered, $50,000 at $107.60; $200,000 at $108; $275,000 at $108; $15,000 at $107⅞; $100,000 at $107⅝. Total, 1,040,000. Four per cent bonds, registered, $300,000 at $125⅝; $300,000 at $125½; $2,000 at $127. Total, $602,000, making a grand total of $1,642,000.

The following were accepted: $500,000 registered 4s at 125⅜; $300,000 registered 4s at 125½.

Imported Foreign Labor.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The President has written a letter instructing the United States District Attorney for the District of Massachusetts to proceed against the owners and masters of fishing vessels who have imported foreign labor for use on their craft.

Sherman Will Be There.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Senator Sherman will attend the Pittsburg celebration of the birthday of Gen. Grant. He will leave here Thursday night and speak in Pittsburg the next day.

The Kentucky Gas Company.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The House Commerce Committee to-day directed a favorable report on the bill authorizing the Kentucky Gas Company to lay a conduit under the Ohio River near Louisville.

Crook and Brooke Assigned.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The President issued an order to-day assigning Maj.-Gen. Crook to the command of the Division of the Missouri and Brig.-Gen. Brooke to the command of the Division of the Platte.

Money for Redskins.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—The House Committee on Indian Affairs this morning agreed to report with favorable recommendation a bill to pay the Wahpeton and Sisseton Indians in Dakota $342,000 in one installment, which is now due them in annual installments.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Among the bills reported from the committees and placed on the calendar was the following: To provide for the erection of public buildings for post-offices in towns and cities where the post-office receipts for three years preceding have exceeded $3,000 annually (Mr. Vest, who reported it, said he would ask its early consideration, as it was a very important bill and was recommended by the Postmaster-General).

Mr. Hale offered a resolution (which was adopted) directing the Civil Service Commissioners to furnish lists of all persons certified for appointment to the Patent Office from the 4th of March, 1885, to March, 1888, and lists of all persons selected and appointed under such certification.

On motion of Mr. Harris, House bill appropriating $200,000 for an arsenal at Columbia, Tenn., was taken from the calendar and passed.

The Senate then resumed consideration of the international copyright bill, the question being on the amendment offered yesterday by Mr. Morrill, providing that newspapers and periodicals may copy articles from foreign newspapers and periodicals. The international copyright bill was, after an interesting discussion, laid aside without action; and the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the bill for the establishment of a bureau of animal industry.

The House.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.—Mr. Heard of Missouri from the Committee on Elections submitted the report in the contested election case of Frank vs. Glover from the Ninth Congressional District of Missouri and it was referred to the House calendar. It finds the contestee, Mr. Glover, entitled to the seat.

Bills were reported and placed upon the calendar for the erection of public buildings at Cheyenne, Wyo., and Fayetteville, N. C., and increasing the appropriation for the purchase of a site for a public building at San Francisco.

Mr. Anderson of Iowa, from the Committee on Commerce, reported back a resolution providing for the investigation of the strike on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad. Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Millard of Texas asked unanimous consent that all gentlemen might be allowed to print in the *Record* any remarks upon the subject of the tariff, but Mr. Reed of Maine objected. Mr. Hopkins of New York objected to request from Mr. Mills that a night session should be held this evening, and then the House went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Springer of Illinois in the chair) on the tariff-bill—the floor being acceded to Mr. Mc-Millen of Tennessee.

Church Chat.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Third Baptist Church Rev. A. J. Diaz, the Cuban missionary, addressed a mass meeting of ladies on the condition o woman in Cuba.

The Presbyterian Social Union will meet this evening at the Planters' House. The Union is formed for social purposes, and one of the prominent features of the gatherings is a very appetizing spread.

The City Circulation of the POST-DISPATCH is larger than that of any other two papers.

THE GRANT BIRTHDAY DINNER.

Chicago Delegates Instructed for Gresham—Conventions and Meetings.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 24.—The banquet of the Americus Club, to be held at the Monongahela House next Friday evening in honor of the birthday of Gen. U. S. Grant, will undoubtedly be the most successful dinner, as far as the assembling of distinguished men of the Republican party is concerned, ever held in this city. The guests who have so far accepted the invitations and who will be in the city on Friday morning are Senator John Sherman of Ohio, Senators J. D. Cameron and Matthew S. Quay of Pennsylvania, ex-Senator Benj. Harrison of Indiana, Col. Fred D. Grant, Hon. Richard Smith; J. P. Foster, President of the Republican League of the United States, and Andrew B. Humphrey, Secretary of the League, both of New York; Gov. James A. Beaver; Lieut.-Gov. W. T. Davies, Secretary of the Commonwealth; Hon. C. W. Stone, Hon. John Daizell, Adjt. D. H. Hastings, Gen. Martin Beem of Chicago and Hon. John C. New of Indianapolis. Among the letters of regret is one from the late Hon. Roscoe Conkling.

The Hendricks Association.

The applications of Judge J. C. Normile, John I. Martin, Daniel Daly, Henry Henning and E. J. Rohan for membership were received at the meeting of the Hendricks Association last evening. Messrs. J. J. Lane, Richard Hennessy and Pat Kane were appointed a committee to draft suitable resolutions on the death of John E. Castello, a member from the Fourth Ward. Several names were added to the list of the marching corps. Messrs. Richard Hennessy, John A. Sloan, John D. Figler, Thos. Morris and Michael Lynch were appointed a committee on organization, with instructions to report at the next meeting. Messrs. J. J. McNamara, Jos. N. Judge, Andrew Haley, John J. Lane and John F. Walton have been appointed a committee on uniforms.

Republican County Convention.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

COLLINSVILLE, Ill., April 24.—The Republican County Convention met here this morning at 11 o'clock. There were about one hundred and fifty delegates present from the different districts throughout the county. After the meeting was called to order W. P. Bradshaw of Edwardsville was elected temporary chairman, and Frank Fisher of Alton and Joseph C. Ammann of Highland, Secretaries. A Committee on Credentials and permanent organization were appointed, after which a recess was taken. Gen. John I. Rinaker of Carlinville, candidate for Governor, is in town.

Marion County (Ill.) Republicans.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SALEM, Ill., April 24.—The Marion County Republican Convention convened in this city at 11 o'clock this morning. Judge Michael Schaeffer was made Chairman. The attendance was very large and a great deal of enthusiasm was manifested among the delegates. During the afternoon session delegates to the State Convention were elected. They will go uninstructed as far as the Governorship is concerned, but will favor Gen. C. W. Pavey for Auditor of the State. The Republicans of this county feel considerably encouraged, owing to a gain of five Supervisors at the township election.

State Convention of Retail Grocers.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 24.—The State Convention of Retail Grocers is in session here to-day. The Western Pennsylvania delegation, thirty-five strong, arrived at midnight on a special train from Pittsburg. There are nearly 150 delegates in attendance. The convention assembled at 10 o'clock this morning. D. C. Jeremy of this city delivered an address of welcome, which was responded to by Mr. T. M. Viguers of Philadelphia. To-morrow evening a banquet will be given at which Gen. Wm. H. McCartney will act as toast-master.

Seventh Congressional District.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., April 22.—The Democratic Executive Committee of the Seventh Congressional District meet at Warrenton, Mo., on Wednesday, the 25th inst., to fix the time and place for holding the convention to nominate a candidate for Congress for this district. A number of the prominent citizens of this city will accompany the committeemen to urge this city as the place for holding said convention.

Instructed for Gresham.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 24.—The Republicans of the Third Congressional District this morning selected Mayor Roche and Hon. Leonard Swett as delegates to the National Convention. The delegates, amid great enthusiasm, were instructed to support the candidacy of Judge Gresham. It is understood that Mr. Swett is to present Judge Gresham's name to the convention.

Republican Delegate Convention.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LEXINGTON, Mo., April 24.—The Republicans of this township last night selected eleven delegates to the convention to be held at Higginsville Saturday, which convention is to send nine delegates to the Congressional Convention at Kansas City and a like number of delegates to the State Convention at Sedalia. John Taubman was chosen committeeman for the township for a term of two years. No date has yet been set for the holding of a convention to put a county ticket in the field.

A Straight Republican Ticket.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., April 24.—For the first time in four years the Republicans have placed a straight ticket in the field for municipal offices. In making nominations last night L. J. Williams, a colored school-teacher, was nominated as a cadidate for Councilman in the Third Ward.

Judge Phillips Not a Candidate.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 24.—Hon. Ephraim B. Ewing has just received a letter from ex-Gov. Crittenden, and also a telegram, stating authoritatively that Judge John F. Phillips will not in any event be a candidate for Governor before the State Democratic Convention.

Defective Indictments Quashed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

COLUMBUS, Kan., April 24.—The indictments against C. L. Woodruff for embezzlement and Fred Basom for attempting to compound a felony, were last night quashed in the District Court on the ground of being defective.

Obituary.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

TROY, Mo., April 24.—Miss Emma Gorman, a well-known and very popular young lady of this place, step-daughter of J. C. McDaniel, died this morning at 6:30 of epilepsy. Her loss will be greatly regretted. She was 28 years old.

SPARTA, Ill., April 24.—Irene, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Campbell of this city, died at 6 o'clock this morning from membranous croup. The child took sick on yesterday, having only been at Mr. Campbell's since last Thursday.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The body of ex-Gov. John T. Hoffman arrived to-day on the steamer Fulda of the North German Lloyd's Line. It will be taken to Grace Church, from whence the funeral will take place the latter part of the week.

KEOKUK, Io., April 24.—Prof. Charles Reps, an old resident and well-known musical instructor of Keokuk, died yesterday afternoon. He was one of the best known and most thorough musicians in the State of Iowa.

Mrs. Ingersoll, the wife of Dr. L. C. Ingersoll, a prominent dentist of Keokuk and dean of the faculty of the dental department, Iowa State University, died at her home in this city this morning.

Second District Police Court.

In the Second District Police Court this morning Mathew Maher, a young man of the hoodlum species, was prosecuted by his sister, who charged him with having drawn a razor and attempting to use it on her during a quarrel. The quarrels, she said, were frequent, and Mathew was very irritable in disposition whether drunk or sober. He was fined $50. S. and M. Galinis and Mrs. E. L. Ray have appeared before the court at different times during the past week on charges of disturbing the peace by a neighborly row. There were counter charges by the parties, and on the previous occasions their cases were continued. To-day, however, Mrs. Ray failed to appear and she was fined $10 by default, and the other parties were dismissed for want of prosecution. James Clifford and John Davis were fined $10 each for disturbing the peace; Edward Cunningham, Joseph Smith and Emma McGuire were fined $5 each for being drunk on the street. There were eighteen cases in all. Mathew Maher, James Clifford, John Bowis, Emma McGuire and John Smith were sent to the Work-house.

LENIENT TO THE CONTRACTORS.

Easton Avenue Residents Complain of Their Treatment—City Hall Notes.

The Board of Public Improvements was in session for two hours to-day. The principal subject of discussion was the Easton avenue reconstruction, for which Stifel & Ruckert secured the contract, which expired two months ago. Along the avenue, which is almost impassable in wet weather, the property-holders and store-keepers are complaining bitterly. Some of them have shown to Delegate Stone of the Twenty-eighth Ward, by making a comparison between the showings of their books for this year and for last, that they have sustained actual damages. Commissioner Murphy said, in his opinion, the forfeiture mentioned in the contract should be collected, but Street Commissioner Turu er said that on account of the severity of the winter he was opposed to the infliction of the prescribed penalties. The matter was laid over for further consideration. Bids were received for some alley reconstructions, after which the board adjourned.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The Ways and Means Committee of the Council met this afternoon to consider the bill fixing the rate of taxation.

Speaker Hannerman will announce his new committees this evening.

Both branches of the Municipal Assembly will meet to-night.

BAD BREAKS.

**Serious Damage Caused by Overflows—A Fre

JOHN L.'S WIFE.

SHE IS DETERMINED TO GIVE THE SLUGGER ALL THE TROUBLE HE WANTS.

Maturing a Plan by Which to Astonish the Ex-Champion on His Arrival—The Story of Esterbrook's Attack on Sullivan of Chicago at Indianapolis—Another Disregard of the Rules—Sporting News—Base Ball Chat.

BOSTON, Mass., April 24.—The steamer Catalona, loaded with John L. Sullivan, passed in by Hull at 7:45 a. m. Mrs. John L. Sullivan, the champion's legal wife, intends to set herself right before the world. She is endeavoring to secure a warrant for the big fellow's arrest immediately on his arrival on the charge of improper relations with Annie Livingstone. She takes this step, she says, because John L., while traveling on two continents during the past two years, has acknowledged Annie Livingstone as his wife. In order to publicly repudiate the relationship thus accepted by so many people, Mrs. Sullivan proposed that she should join in the procession which will welcome the champion, riding in a carriage on which should be displayed a streamer announcing in letters of black that:

"This is Mrs. John L. Sullivan No. 1. The other can follow after."

Her friends, however, dissuaded her from this plan, urging that so conspicuous a position would do her no good.

Another plan by which the aim intended might be reached was suggested, namely, the arrest of the pugilist while in the midst of his welcoming friends. Accordingly, with a friend, a gentleman who is well known in the South End, Mrs. Sullivan yesterday called at the office of Mr. Bragg, a lawyer, and explained to him that she wanted him to take steps to procure a warrant for Sullivan's arrest on the charge named. The lawyer unexpectedly replied that a warrant on such a charge could scarcely be issued in Massachusetts with such evidence of guilt as Mrs. Sullivan could show against her husband. He said the proof must be strong, and in the absence of witnesses he did not feel willing to undertake the arrest. Mrs. Sullivan then went before District-Attorney Stevens and asked him to make the arrest on behalf of the city and county. It is not known what answer the District-Attorney gave, but they parted to meet again this morning.

The steamer Catalona is still at Quarantine. John L. Sullivan was taken aboard a tugboat by his friends and brought to the city.

A carriage was in waiting at the wharf, and Sullivan, accompanied by his backer, Mr. Phillips, his father and Sylvias Gookin, the oarsman, was driven up town amid the cheers and salutations of hundreds who had congregated on the wharf.

FIGHTING BALL PLAYERS.

The Story of Mr. Esterbrook's Savage Attack on Mr. Sullivan.

The Chicago *News* thus describes Esterbrook's attack on Sullivan at Indianapolis Friday:

"Why the d—l did you want to block me?" exclaimed Sullivan angrily, turning around and rubbing his left shoulder, which had come in contact with Tom Esterbrook's left shoulder. The words had barely escaped the lips of the Chicago left fielder when, quick as a wink, Esterbrook's fist shot out and Sullivan would now be wearing his left eye in mourning had he not warded off the blow with his arm. The Indianapolis first baseman took a step forward and made another pass but Sullivan, instead of returning blow for blow and knocking his assailant to the ground, as he would have been perfectly justified in doing, simply caught Esterbrook's arms and held them. The first baseman wriggled, but Sullivan held him as in a vise. "You d—d fool, what do you mean by striking at me?" hissed Sullivan through his teeth so that it was heard in the grand stand. He was as cool as a man could be under the circumstances. "Let go of me, — — you!" cried Esterbrook, and then he jerked away. Capt. Denny had run over from short-stop's position by this time and Anson was approaching from in front of the players' bench, where he had stood up to urge Sullivan to run as his fly went sailing out to left field. Boyle also came running up to first base from the box. The two men were quarreling and gesticulating when Denny stepped in between them. Sullivan turned away, saying as he did so to Denny: "You had better fine that ——," calling Esterbrook by name.

Again the words were hardly spoken when Esterbrook sprang forward and struck Sullivan a strong blow on the left jaw, reaching over from behind to do it. It was a cowardly blow, because Sullivan's face was partially turned away. Anson, with a bat in his hand, was within six feet of the spot at the time of the second assault. The "old man's" face was as red as fire, and he cried: "What's the matter with you, Sullivan? Are you going to let him wipe the ground up with you?" At the same time he turned Sullivan around and shoved him toward Esterbrook. Thus urged the cool-headed fielder started for his antagonist, but the brave and courageous Esterbrook of course took several steps to the rear, and before the men could meet Williamson had caught Sullivan and the Indianapolis players had crowded in to protect the threatened Esterbrook.

This all took place in much less time than it takes to write it, and by the time Williamson took Sullivan in charge half the bleaching boards and stands had climbed over into the field and came with a rush upon the diamond. When Anson had run up to Sullivan each Chicago player snatched up a bat and ran to the assistance of his friends. All the Indianapolis players were there about as quick, and there was some shoving and a few random passes made, but in the confusion no one could tell exactly who did it. A genuine melee seemed imminent, and the fate of the Chicago Base Ball Club against that mob of "Hoosiers" would have been an awful warning.

As it was, however, after the first rush and none were found to be hurt, two or three policemen assisted by Manager Spence separated the crowd and the disgraceful occurrence passed off without any further damage. The blue shirts of the Chicago players could be seen close together in the mob, and the boys were evidently determined to die game if it should come to the worst.

The Law Should Be Enforced.

The constant and deliberate violation of the rules by ball-players recently observed in games in this city seems a trifle strange, to say the least. The managers of the American Association adopted a set of laws in which the distinct provision was made that the decision of the umpire should in no case be questioned except in those instances where a fracture of the playing rules was involved. Yet the men who have played ball at Sportsman's Park this year have time and again not only questioned the decision of the umpire on points in which no rule at all was involved, but which were entirely solely the judgment of the umpire himself. Comiskey and Mack had their say Sunday, and yesterday Fennelly of Cincinnati repeated their tactics there. There is no doubt whatever that Mr. Fennelly really did think that Umpire McQuaid's judgment was decidedly off color on the hit of Nicol in the eighth inning which he declared foul. The decision might have been wrong but even if this were so (and the matter admits of discussion) Fennelly and the other members of the club had no business to dispute and argue and fight about the judgment. Fennelly would never think of disputing the umpire's decision on a foul tip which would strike to the catcher's hands or a clear out in the field; but when he questions the judgment of the umpire on a hit, as to its fairness, he is guilty of as great an indiscretion as in either of the above cases. The laws of the Association should be enforced with as much severity in one case as in the other, and if it is proposed to disregard any special law, particularly one of this kind, let it be abolished altogether. McQuaid fined Fennelly $25 yesterday for persistently discussing the question with him, and the fine should be paid as in the cases of Comiskey and Mack on Sunday. The St. Louis public is always ready to stand up for the right, and as Umpire McQuaid was unquestionably right on these occasions, it will stand up for him.

Tim Keefe to Be Wedded.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Somewhat of a sensation was created in local base ball circles yesterday by the report that Tim Keefe, New York's pitcher, is about to become a benedict, and that he will wed Mrs. Heim, a sister of Mrs. John M. Ward, nee Helen Dauvray. It is said the event will soon be solemnized, and that Keefe has not signed with New York's club because of it. Additional color was given the rumor by the fact that yesterday John M. Ward arrived in this city, having obtained a leave of absence from Manager Mutrie. It is said that the wedding may take place to-day in New Haven, Keefe having left Boston for that place Saturday.

Paul Hines' Injury.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 24.—In the first inning of the Chicago—Indianapolis base ball game yesterday afternoon, Paul Hines of the Indianapolis was hit on the head with a ball and it is thought his injuries will be fatal. Clark was pitching for the Chicagos and Hines was at the bat. Clark pitched a terribly swift ball which apparently was going wide of the plate but when nearly opposite the plate it took a sudden curve and struck Hines square in the temple. Hines lies as one dead and three doctors are working over him.

St. Louis, 3; Cincinnati, 2.

The first game in the series between the Cincinnatis and the Browns was played yesterday at Sportsman's Park. It was a close and interesting contest resulting in final victory for St. Louis. The batteries were: For St. Louis, King and Boyle; for Cincinnati, Mullane and Keenan. St. Louis scored 3 runs, 9 hits and 9 errors, and Cincinnati 2 runs, 4 hits and 1 error. McQuaid, umpire.

Ball Games Abroad Yesterday.

Association: At Philadelphia—Athletics, 28; Cleveland, 7. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 11; Brooklyn, 3. At Kansas City—Kansas City, 15; Louisville, 13.

League: At Washington—Washington, 1; New York, 1. At Indianapolis—Chicago, 11; Indianapolis, 10. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 10; Detroit, 9. At Philadelphia—Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 1.

To-Morrow's Game.

The third and next to last game between the world's champions and Cincinnati will take place to-morrow at Sportsman's Park. Another magnificent struggle will no doubt be witnessed with Cannon-ball King and Tony Mullane in the box. Fine weather and a prospect of a great game should draw a big crowd. Game will be called at 4 p. m.

Grand Stand Chat.

Greenwood has broken a forefinger. Stovey ran into him.

The Cincinnatis are playing great ball—better than ever.

About half of the professional pitchers chew gum when they are in the box.

The Cincinnatis play but two more games here—to-morrow and Thursday.

The St. Louis Browns will fly the world's pennant. And why not?—[Philadelphia *Times*.

The Red Legs gave the Browns a pretty hard push yesterday, but did not quite kill them altogether.

Wood of Philadelphia, Richardson of New York, and Pettit and Ryan of Chicago opened the season with home runs.

Big Bill Phillips stole a base on Kid Baldwin the other day, and Kansas City is going to have it preserved in alcohol.

The St. Louis Whites will arrive home Friday. They open the Western Association season on Saturday with Milwaukee.

The Alleghenies would make Von der Ahe's boys hustle around mighty lively at the present stage of the game.—[Pittsburg *Dispatch*.

Umpire Ferguson of the Association staff has commenced early. He lectured the crowd at Philadelphia Thursday for hooting at his decisions.

Manager John Kelly was red-headed when he left St. Louis. The dispatches state since yesterday's defeat of his colonels his hair has turned gray.

Kid Baldwin says: "The Kansas Citys are a pretty good team as hitters, but their weakness lies in running bases. They are all too heavy for that."

Jason Thomas, the Elmira colored phenomenon, is cross-eyed and left-handed. A member of the team says: "Him fool de boys, 'cause dey can't tell which way he is a lookin'."

Stemmyer, it is said, carries a small cross in his breast pocket, and every time he pitches the ball he touches the cross.—[Pittsburg *Commercial*. There is no truth in the "saying."—[*Plain Dealer*.

The St. Louis Whites defeated the Rockford (Ill.) team yesterday 4 to 2. They play Rockford again to-day. Manager Loftus writes that he proposes to challenge Detroit for a series of games this fall.

"The Doc" has caught on. The *Standard Union* says: "There is no use trying to steal bases on Bushong. If he can pull teeth as well as he threw to second base yesterday, he ought to start in business in Brooklyn right off. There is a fortune in it for him."

Few "kickers" in the profession, says a visitor from Baltimore, can compare to Burns. He not only grumbles when he thinks he is right but even when they are far in advance of his opponents. In this respect Burns surpasses even Anson of the Chicagos, who is generally considered the champion of the profession.

Tom McCarthy has added very materially to the strength of the world's champions' bulwark—base-running, and his agility and skill in traveling bases will contribute greatly to new triumphs in this department. Many a game has been won by the world champions on their brilliant demonstrations of race-horse work on the bases.

"Brag is a good dog; Take Hold is a better one," "Kick is the way the Detroit players bragged at Pittsburg Friday morning, according to the *Chronicle-Telegraph*, viz.: "I'll not be satisfied with less than four straight," said Manager Watkins. "Oh this day Mr. Morris pitches?" asked Hanlon. "I am glad if it is; we want to kill another left-handed pitcher."—[Detroit *Free Press*.

Prof. Megge, who has had charge of the Browns' gymnasium work for the past three years, saw them play for the first time this season yesterday. He expressed the opinion that they are stronger than they ever were, for Capt. Comiskey has gotten the proper spirit of team work infused in his men, and team work is, in the professor's opinion, the beacon light of success in base ball.

He was an undertaker traveling East and had formed the acquaintance of an affable gentleman in the car, with whom he became confidential. "One of our embalming processes is—— You have never had any experience, of course, of course, with human bodies?" "Sold many a one," said the affable gentleman. "What!" said the undertaker, aghast. "You're not a resurrectionist, are you?" "No;" I'm one of the managers of the Chicago Base Ball Club."—[Chicago *Tribune*.

"Nobody can beat the Chicago Club's record of money-making," said a well-known base ball man to-day. "I had quite a talk with Spalding on a recent visit here and he said that the Chicago Club had really made $85,000 clear last season. This beats the record. So, the New York team never beat that. I have heard the story that they cleared once $80,000, but Jim Mutrie told me this was a mistake, as $50,000 was the highest the team ever cleared in a season."—[Kansas City *Times*.

A New York writer says: "It is rather early to forecast the result of the league contest, but I do not hesitate to record the opinion that the fight for first place will be between Boston, Detroit and New York, with the odds in favor of the 'Giants.' The games this season will depend more on the batteries than those of last, and in this department the New York are better equipped than either of its principal rivals. When I say better equipped I mean that the 'Giants' will start off better. All the New York pitchers are in better condition than for several years, and are ready to begin the battle and be effective from the start. The Boston pitchers have done little to encourage their admirers so far, with the exception of Clarkson, and the Detroit pitchers have been handled roughly by every club they have so far tackled."

The Little Diamond.

The Edwin Forrest Club visited O'Fallon, Ill., on Sunday, where they defeated the home team by the score of 15 to 5. Next Sunday they play the Nationals at Belleville.

The Models have organized with the following players: A. Moore, c.; C. Tuckett, p.; A. Smith, 1b.; F. Walsh, 2b.; N. Gray, s.s.; W. Parr, 3b.; R. O'Reiley, l.f.; H. Coffey, c.f.; C. Kyler, r.f. Address H. Coffey, No. 2513 University street.

The Red Cross Club has organized with the following players: J. More, c.; H. Chadwick, p.; F. Hermann, 1b.; T. Carry, 2b.; T. Dunn, s.s.; J. Kelso, l.f.; C. Shoemaker, 3b.; E. Laughlin, r.f. Send all challenges to Nancy Chadwick, 1119 Chestnut avenue.

The special delivery boys have organized with the following players: Jos. McKenna, p.; John Coffey, c.; Jos. Connor, 1b.; O. Kost, 2b.; Cora Corrigan, s.s.; Ed Farrell, 3b.; W. Martin, r.f.; M. Sommers, c.f.; J. O'Rourke, l.f. Address challenges to Mike Monahan, care of the Post-office.

The Little Anchors have organized with the following nine: H. Dolan, p.; E. Reilly, c.; W. Osborne, 1b.; J. Slattery, 2b.; F. Sherman, 3b.; J. Smith, s.s.; J. Sommers, c.f.; L. Dolan, r.f.; R. E. Sumbers, l.f. They would like to hear from all clubs under 14 years of age. Address H. Dolan, 1030 Julia street.

The Niagaras have organized with the following players: D. Cunningham, c.; W. Fearn, p.; Robinson, 1b.; G. Floyd, 2b.; W. Tracy, 3b.; P. Moore, s.s.; W. Hill, l.f.; J. King, c.f.; D. Reily, r.f. They would like to hear from the Olympics and all other clubs under 15 years of age. Address D. Cunningham, No. 2028½ Biddle street.

Hand-Ball.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Phil Casey, the champion hand-ball player, called at the *Police Gazette* office yesterday and deposited a forfeit of $250 to play James A. Keenan, the champion of New South Wales, for $10,000 a side. He agrees to allow Keenan $1,000 for expenses incurred by him in coming to New York to play the game. Richard K. Fox also agreed if the match is ratified to put up a hand-ball championship trophy valued at $1,000.

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CADY CALLERS.

Cases Which Were Disposed of by the Police Magistrate This Morning.

Henry Knox, a big burly black negro, was before Judge Cady this morning on an unsatisfied judgment. Some time ago an old man from Pennsylvania who had been "running the river" for over a year and had saved over $180, unwittingly displayed his money in a Levee saloon just as he was about to go home to his family and gladden their hearts with his hard-earned cash. He was followed out of the saloon by two negroes and robbed of his roll. Detectives Frost and Zeigler arrested Knox and another negro for the offense, but after they had been bound over for the Grand Jury at the preliminary hearing the old man disappeared from the city. The cases against them had to be dropped, but they were arrested for associating with thieves, fined and given 3 hours to leave the city. The other day Knox was seen here and was re-arrested. When his case came up this morning his wife stated that a young lawyer named Watson had come to her and agreed to have this execution set aside for a fee of $10. She says she paid him $2.50 and was to have given him the remainder. Her cousin also gave him something, but she did not know how much. By the advice of Watson she wrote to her husband to return, as everything was all right. After hearing her story, Judge Cady ordered the case continued until to-morrow and ordered subpœnas for the cousin and Henry Watson, the attorney referred to. If the statement of the woman proves to be true, Watson will undoubtedly get disbarred for his suite receiving the money, but denies having made any promises to get the fine stayed, merely pledging himself to do all in his power.

Louis Schumacker, who was one time one of the members of the old Dunkin Island gang, was tried before Judge Cady this morning for disturbing the peace and resisting an officer. He was fined $5 on the former charge, but acquitted on the latter.

Albert J. Seitz and John Thompson were tried before Judge Cady on a charge of disturbing the peace and interfering with an officer. The former had a woman in the saloon at Eleventh and Pine streets, and a couple of police officers attempted to arrest him after first questioning him and receiving little satisfaction. Thompson came up and objected to the arrest. Judge Cady discharged both men, telling the officers they had no business to interfere with the man so long as he had done nothing.

J. B. Achey was fined $10 for beating an old man.

The case of John Kinney, who is alleged to have attempted to assault his little 4-year-old niece at Twelfth and Spruce streets, had to be dismissed, the parents of the child and witnesses against him having disappeared.

The charge of disturbing the peace against Charles Hall was also dismissed for want of prosecution, the woman he was accused of attempting to drag into an alley having disappeared.

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THE JOURNEYMEN HOUSE-PAINTERS

Claim to See a Deep-Laid Scheme In the Proposition of the Bosses.

The journeymen house-painters of the city are still awaiting an answer to the circular forwarded the bosses, and which demands that no painter be compelled to labor more than eight hours a day or receive less than 30 cents an hour. The union is well organized, and is resolute in its intention of preventing a classification of its members by employers. This is really what the recent demand means. The bosses contend that the division of their workmen into three classes or grades, the expert to receive more compensation than the tyro, is perfectly just, but in the idea the journeymen claim to perceive an ulterior motive. Last spring a contract was signed by the bosses and the union, fixing the scale of wages for the season, but this year no such agreement has been perfected, and the house-painters declare that under present conditions the expert and high-priced workmen will, for the most part, be left to shift for themselves after the rush is over, when their places will be taken by the low-grade men. Therefore it will be insisted that a standard and uniform scale of wages be adopted and adhered to, in conformity with the circular already mentioned, leaving the employers the privilege of rejecting inferior workmen if they do not care to pay them 30 cents an hour, while the best of the men can easily obtain more than this sum. "These troubles," said a veteran journeyman housepainter, to-day, "mostly arise from the absence of the old apprenticeship system, which is little known to any branch of industry in the West. Too many men no longer learn their trade, but graduate as finished workmen after an experience of a year or two, thus flooding the market with a class of labor that is injurious to the best interests of the laborers."

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100 Pure Lace Curtains, all makes and qualities, no two pairs alike, at one-fourth their value.
250 pairs 2 and 3 pair lots, much less than half price.
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500 Fancy China and India Silk Scarfs, in all new shades, 50c, $1 and $2.50; formerly $1.25, $2.50 and $5 each.
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We are the largest importers of ENGLISH CARPETINGS in the UNITED STATES. All the patterns for Spring are now being shown, among them many novelties in pattern and colorings. Come and see them. Our stock of American Brussels is the largest in the West. Persons who expect to purchase Carpets and Curtains, or any other article pertaining to furnishing floors or windows, should examine our Complete Stock. Country orders will receive our best attention.

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Barr's Daily Bargain Bulletin

Shoe Dept.
160 pairs of Child's Kid and Pebble Goat, Spring Heels Button; sizes 8 to 10½; widths C, D, E. These goods have been selling at $1.50, but we propose to give our customers a benefit and let them go at 75c. BARR'S.

Horse Fur. Dept.
$1.00 Each—Handsome Nickel-Plated 1 and 1½ gallon Water Coolers only $1.00 each. BARR'S.

Blk. Goods Dept.
We have just received a full line of Black Sicilian Mohairs; newest and most fashionable fabric in the market, 36, 44 and 54-inch, at from 30c to $1.75 a yard. BARR'S.

Ribbon Dept.
1,500 yards No. 9 Satin Ribbons, cotton back, for decorative purposes, at 5c per yard. BARR'S.

Linen Dept.
60c Per Yard—Fresh Importation—6,000 yards All-Linen Damask; equal to any $1.00 goods made.
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Hosiery Dept.
Stunning Bargains for the people which only an immense business like ours can afford to offer.
Ladies' Black and Solid Colors Cotton Hose, full regular made, double heels and toes; former price, 25c; now 15c. BARR'S.

Enamel Dept.
50c Per Yard—54 inches wide Granada Ladies' Cloth; this is a fine Cloth for a light fabric, suitable for the Spring and summer season. In all the latest shades, such as Gobelin Blue, Mahogany, Apple Green, Ecru, etc., etc.; other houses get 65c for these goods. BARR'S.

Ladies Look Over Barr's Bulletin Before Buying

IRISH HOME RULE.

Prof. Goldwin Smith Attacks and Chauncey M. Depew Defends It.

NEW YORK, April 24.—For 101 years the celebration by Englishmen in New York of St. George's day has been more or less prosaic. The 102d, which took place last night at Delmonico's, in the form of a dinner, was considerably less prosaic and not a little ruffled. Prof. Goldwin Smith of Toronto was primarily the cause of this disturbing element. He made a distinctly political speech in which he attacked home rule in an exceedingly bitter manner. Chauncey M. Depew created general astonishment when it came to his turn to speak, by taking the opposite course and handling the cudgels in behalf of the Irish. The temper of the gathering can be better understood from the fact that when Mr. Depew asserted that if Mr. Gladstone should visit this country he would be received enthusiastically, the name of Gladstone was greeted with a volley of hisses.

During the course of his remarks Prof. Smith said: "It seems that a general resolution has been taken by Englishmen on this side to naturalize. I do not wonder that there has been some reluctance to do that—to break allegiance to such a glorious country as England, and that the anti-English feeling here has led Englishmen to feel that they were in an alien country. [Cheers.] Gentlemen, I protest it is not. It is not intended to deprive any body of the citizens of the United States of any of their powers, but it is intended to prevent this country from being posed as the friend of an alien vote against old England, and to prevent an Englishman from being trampled upon by those who are angling for the Irish vote. [Applause.] We are opposed to the dissolution of Ireland from the United Kingdom and handing it over to a part of the Irish people. The words 'Ireland' and 'Irish' are very different. John Bright is right in saying there are two millions of people in Ireland who are as loyal as he or as I am. We have always advocated every improvement for the advancing and for the benefit of the Irish people, but we believe that we should not be conferring a benefit upon Ireland, but would be doing her a wrong by separating her from England, by debarring her members of Parliament from the legislature of the realm. If you want to form an opinion on this question go to the gallery of the House of Commons, look upon the Irish members, note their demeanor and appearance, and ask if English statesmen would be justified in handing Ireland over to their hands. Many a time I have talked to Richard Cobden on this Irish question, and he always gave me the same answer: 'If the Irish would only send good and proper men to Parliament as the Scotch do, the matter might be arranged, but how are we to carry a great reform with such men as these Irish members?' [Cheers.]

DEPEW REPLIES.

To Chauncey M. Depew was assigned the toast of "The Memory and Genius of Shakespeare," but he had little to say about the immortal Bard of Avon. "I always," he said, "look for and enjoy George's day with peculiar interest. There were three persons born on that day which I remember. One was St. George, the second was Shakespeare and the third was myself; and I have a family controversy each year as to whether my birthday shall be celebrated at home or with St. George and Shakespeare, with the result that on that day there is a temporary severance of the family relation. [Laughter.] There could be nothing more reciprocal than the relations now existing between Great Britain and the United States. We have this year an unusual amount of fluid taffy flowing out on both sides. Chamberlain visited us; we had your parliamentary delegates over here to promote peace; all to keep up the flow of international taffy. I have noticed at the dinners of the various societies that politics, which have hitherto been strictly tabooed, have been introduced upon the tables. This was especially noticeable at the Irish dinner, where there was no other question but politics paramount, and here to-night Prof. Goldwin Smith gave us the synopsis of his political addresses he delivered during the last English campaign. Being a stump speaker myself, I had some desire to learn just what a stump speech was on the other side of the water. As his speech is likely to be telegraphed all over the country, I can not let it pass if I do not express my absolute and unqualified dissent from every opinion Prof. Goldwin Smith has uttered. [Cries of "Oh" and expressions of dissent.] When he says there is an unfriendly sentiment toward Englishmen here he is mistaken. If John Bright were to visit this country to-morrow he would receive as enthusiastic a reception as any of our statesmen and so would Mr. Gladstone. [Hisses.] That settles my opinion on the home rule question."

Mr. Depew immediately branched off into another subject and delivered a eulogy upon Shakespeare.

SPRINGFIELD SALOON MEN JUBILANT.

The Decision of the St. Louis Court of Appeals Hailed With Joy.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 24.—The saloon men of this city are wildly jubilant this morning over a telegram received from St. Louis, announcing the decision of the Court of Appeals there in the case of "Red" Woolridge, a saloon-keeper, who was fined $300 for a violation of the Wood local option law. Application was made for a writ of habeas corpus before the Court of Appeals, alleging as grounds that the election was void because it was held within sixty days of a municipal election, and because the City Council delegated the power of calling said election to the Mayor of the city, which they had no right to do. The court decided the election void, and whisky flows free as water in consequence.

The Talk on the Street.

Those great $3.50 and $4.75 men's cassimere business suits at the

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

BAD TILTON.

A Wife Deserter Arrested at Springfield, Mo., for Grand Larceny.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 24.—Wm. Tilton, alias Geo. Williams, was arrested here at 10:30 o'clock last night on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. J. A. Campbell of Kansas City charging him with grand larceny. Tilton is a nephew of Mrs. Campbell's and during her absence from home skipped with nearly five hundred dollars' worth of silver plate and jewelry and two gold watches. He is said to have deserted a young wife in Wyandotte, Kan., and has with him here a woman and two children, the family of another man. Tilton is a well-educated man and is an expert druggist. He will have an examining trial.

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Woodward & Harbison's Sale.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 24.—Woodward & Harbison's combination sale of horses was begun here this morning before a large crowd. There was fine weather. Johnston, the pacer, brought $900, going to J. W. Conley, Chicago; Westmont, by Almont, $1,150, to J. D. Creighton, Omaha; Lorene, bay mare, by Col. West, $1,150, to the same party; Susie Wilkes, bay mare, 7, by George Wilkes, dam by Superb, C. P. Harvey, New Philadelphia, O., $2,550; Alvira, bay mare, 12, by Stillson, dam by Harry Clay, J. W. Fitzgerald, Maysville, Ky., $1,325; Dial, black gelding, 9, by Wayland Chief, dam by John Dillard, John Trout, Boston, $2,700.

THE great $1.50 Men's Shoes at the Globe, the great $2.50 seamless French calf shoe, warranted; the great $3 hand-sewed kangaroo and calf shoes, at the

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No. 511 Pine St., Room 2, St. Louis.

DIED.

ABEL—In this city Monday, April 23, at 6 a. m., MRS. MARY M., wife of Samuel T. Abel, aged 47 years.

Funeral from residence, 2816 Sheridan avenue, Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited.

BURKE—On Tuesday, April 24, 1888, at 11 o'clock a. m., Mrs Margaret Burke, aged 49 years. The funeral will take place Wednesday, 25th inst at 2 o'clock p. m. from residence of her sons, Michael and Thomas Burke, No. 1226 North Ninth street, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Friends of the family are invited to attend.

FOGARTY—Tuesday, April 24, at 3 a. m., MARY MAY, daughter of Michael and Johanna Fogarty, aged 11 months and 4 days.

Funeral from family residence, 2709 Howard street, Wednesday at 2 p. m.

MCPHEETERS—April 24, after a lingering illness of consumption, BENJAMIN W. MCPHEETERS, recently of Pettis City, Mo., aged 40 years and 5 months.

Funeral from late residence, 2216 Lucas avenue, April 25, at 3 o'clock p. m. Member of the A. O. U. W.

ROBERTS—On Tuesday, April 24, at 1 a. m., Miss SARAH E. ROBERTS, at the residence of her uncle, Deacon Wm. Jones, northwest corner Jefferson avenue and Benton street.

Due notice of the funeral will be given.

AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday Nights and Saturday Matinee, April 27, 28 and 29. THE CORNET PLAYER OF THE WORLD.

THE GREAT LEVY!

Mme. Stella Levy, Soprano; Miss Ollie Torbet, Violinist; Miss Edith Pond, Reading Reader; Mr. Octave Thalberg, Tenor, and Mr. F. V. Downey, Pianist and Accompanist. Under the management of Mr. Fred Pelham. Entire change of programme nightly. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1. Sale of tickets opens Thursday morning, April 26.

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To-night, during the week, Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, SPIDEL BURLESQUE CO., in the greatest of all spectacular burlesques, the

ARABIAN NIGHTS,

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Sunday, April 29—KATE CLAXTON AND C. A. STEVENSON in the new play entitled THE WORLD AGAINST HER.

Sunday, May 6—Trip to Africa.

Office opens Thursday, April 26.

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AT ALL TIMES. THIS WEEK. Sunday Night, April 29, "Daniel Boone, the Avenger," and Webber's benefit.

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THE COMING CHAMPIONS,

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Game called 4 p. m. Admission, 50 cents.

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LODGE NOTICES.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL, corner 4th and Locust. St. Louis Degree Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., will confer the second degree to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, April 25. The work will be done by the St. Louis Degree Corps. Visiting brothers are fraternally invited to attend.
ALEX. HEGGENBOURG, Secretary. JACOB ROTHERMEL, D. M.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE No. 9, A. F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication at Masonic Hall, corner 7th and Market sts., this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work on E. A. Degree. Resident members are earnestly requested to attend and visitors are fraternally invited. F. J. HEUER, Secretary.
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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Book-keepers.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Gentleman with ten years' experience as book-keeper and officeman desires position; will work for reasonable salary. Ad. G 11, this office. 37

WANTED—Gentleman 30 years old, eight years' first-class experience, good character and habits, is open for engagement at office work with first-class, prosperous concern. Address F 2, this office. 47

Clerks and Salesmen.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—At once, a young grocery clerk desires situation; best of references. Address K 10, this office. 37

WANTED—Active gentleman of 30, ten years' trade experience, speaking English and French, wants situation by wholesale house as salesman, shipping clerk and accounts; best references; groceries preferred. Gros, 2707 S. 12th st. 37

The Trades.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A position as boss carpenter on first-class inside finish. Responsible parties with plenty of work please address T 8, this office. 38

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Coachmen.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A situation for an experienced married man as coachman, or for husband and wife for general housework. Address, care of Blanckout, Room F, McLoan's Building, 4th and Market sts.

Boys.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—A boy of 16, situation in office or to learn trade; can furnish reference. Address E 11, this office. 41

WANTED—A boy of 19 wishes a situation at driving or any kind of work. Address A. J. Thompson, 1716 N. 10th st. 42

WANTED—A position in a wholesale house to grow up with the business by a boy 17 years of age. Address J 11, this office. 42

WANTED—By a young colored man work in private family; understands care of horse and cow; best city reference. Address H 12, this office. 43

Miscellaneous.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—An energetic young man with good education and position of his kind at once; can furnish best reference. Address A 12, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by a middle-aged German as driver for a delivery wagon, or take the care of horses, carriage; good ref. Address J. Berger, 504 S. 7th st. 43

WANTED—A young man, stranger in the city, wants employment at anything; honest and willing, sober and industrious. Call or address N. 59 Reeves, 10 S. 11th st. 43

HELP WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A first-class grocery clerk at 2658 Choutеau av. 54

WANTED—Entry clerk; must be quick and correct at figures. Address P 10, this office. 54

CONSULT your interests by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Laborers.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Teamsters and scraper holders. Apply on work on Eads and Todd aves.

WANTED—Thirty granite paving block makers. Apply H. G. Hardy, La Motte Granite Co., Fredericktown, Mo. 59

WANTED—Laborers at Murphysboro, Ill.; 500 laborers; wages $1.35 to $3 per day; steady work. Apply to Peter Jeffrey, Thomas Little or Frank Hartman. 59

The Trades.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—A printer. No. 9 N. 8th st. 58

WANTED—Job press feeders at 409, 411 Morgan st. 58

WANTED—A good carpenter. Apply at 700 Morgan st. 58

WANTED—A brip and band sawyer. Apply 2564 Sullivan av. 58

WANTED—Two more paper hangers at Stephen's, 914 N. Broadway. 58

WANTED—Ten good carriage painters at Chas. R. Graves, 3417 Locust st. 58

WANTED—Two first-class shaper hands. Haydock Bros., 13th and Papin sts. 58

WANTED—Three cutters at once. Nicoll, the Tailor, 708 and 710 Olive st. 58

WANTED—Two experienced whiteners; no others need apply. 2349 Wash st. 58

WANTED—Four carpenters on Channing av. and Olive st.; none but good men. 58

WANTED—Twenty-five first-class paper-hangers. W. S. Bronthal, 410 N. 4th st. 58

WANTED—Paving-stone dressers. Bambrick-Bates Con. Co., Main and Madison. 58

WANTED—Four carriage painters. Apply at Fred Yeakel Carriage Co., 1326 Merchant st. 58

WANTED—Five first-class shoemakers and one cobbler. McNamara & Co., 417 Walnut st. 58

WANTED—A first-class helper for carriage blacksmith on heavy work at Milburn's Carriage Factory, 7th and Cass av. 58

WANTED—A good photographer in a live town; excellent room, good reputation, and fine opening for capable party. Add. Lock Box, No. 41, Bowling Green, Mo. 58

Boys.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—With city reference a stout boy. 110 N. 3d st. 61

WANTED—A reliable boy to attend to a horse and work around store. 713 Morgan st. 61

WANTED—A boy about 15 to learn the locksmith trade; he will be boarded. 3410 Olive st. 61

WANTED—Colored boy to clean up in bath-rooms; wages $2.50 per week. Apply at 25 O'Fallon st. 61

WANTED—Boy to drive buggy and help around house; few miles in country. Address T 10, this office. 61

WANTED—Boy 14 or 15 years of age for printing office; one with some experience preferred. Apply to Universal Printing Co., 922 Locust st.

Miscellaneous.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—A man to wash dishes; apply up-stairs, 620 Walnut st. 62

WANTED—An experienced houseman at the Illinois House, 504 Lucas av. 62

WANTED—Man and wife to work around garden flowers and house ten miles west. Address S 10, this office. 62

WANTED—An old man to help around house and garden; good home, fair wages. Address W 10, this office. 62

WANTED—A young man to work in a furniture and stove store; one who understands the business. Address F 11, this office. 62

WANTED—Man to work around house; German preferred; constant employment if suitable party. Address, with ref., R. J., No. 202 N. 8th st. 62

WANTED—Five young men to engage with Union Telegraph Company and learn telegraphing on our lines and also situations paying from $70, $80, $100 to $125 per month. Apply to Superintendent, 102 N. 3d st., take elevator. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Miscellaneous.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Situation to go out by the day housecleaning or scrubbing. 524 Argyle av., rear. 52

WANTED—Families can get good German girls and girls can get places at Mrs. Hummert, 925 N. 13th st. 52

WANTED—A respectable young widow would wish to get a situation to clean furnished rooms or any other kind of cleaning. Apply in the rear of 3124 N. 9th st. 52

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

General Housework.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. 3431 Market st. 48

WANTED—Situation to do light housework. Address or call at 726 Lynch st. 48

WANTED—Sit. by two colored girls to do general housework. Call or address 1730 N. 12th st., in rear. 48

WANTED—A good, willing German girl wants a situation at housework. Call at 821 Franklin av., third floor. 48

STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

Housekeepers.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Situation by experienced housekeeper; can sew and also cook. Apply 1415 N. 10th. 47

WANTED—Situation as working housekeeper by a respectable lady with good references; widower preferred. Call or address B. S., 406 S. 2d st., 3d floor. 47

Cooks.

WANTED—At once, a first-class cook. 1324 Olive st. 49

WANTED—Situation by women to cook and do housework. Address K 8, this office. 49

WANTED—Situation to cook or do general housework. Call or address 2005 N. 13th st. 49

WANTED—Situation by a girl to cook, wash and iron in private family. Call 1234 N. 14th st. 49

WANTED—Situation by a good cook or house and dining-room work. Call 1001 N. Jefferson av.

WANTED—Situation as cook or working housekeeper; a short distance from city preferred. 1919 St. Charles, in rear, up-stairs. 49

Nurses.

WANTED—Situation to nurse in confinement and do light housework; best reference. Address L 8, this office. 50

WANTED—Situation by an experienced nurse capable of taking entire charge of infant. Call at 1455 Biddle st., up-stairs. 50

WANTED—Situation by a young lady as nurse or to do general housework. Call between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. at 1611 Morgan st. 50

Laundresses.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—Washing and ironing, to go out by the day or to take home. Inquire 1613 Wash st., in rear, up-stairs. 51

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Housekeepers.

IF you want a good place the Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure it for you. 74

WANTED—Young widow as housekeeper; good wages and light work. Address H 3, this office.

General Housework.

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WANTED—A girl for housework. Hotel Garnier, 620 Walnut st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1602 Washington av. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. Apply at 2827 Caroline st. 66

WANTED—A girl to help with general housework. Apply at 2718 Clark av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 4242 Easton av. 66

WANTED—A No. 1 German girl for general housework. 1500 Chouteau av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at once at 2630 Lafayette av.

WANTED—Situation by a girl for general housework. 1019 N. 12th st., up-stairs. 66

WANTED—Two girls for general housework; German preferred. 920 Morrison av. 66

WANTED—At 2704 Walnut st., a girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; no washing. Call at 2608 Lafayette av.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a family of three. Apply 1926 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—A young girl to assist with housework in a small family. Apply 1807 Wash st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; family of four. Apply 3446 Chestnut st. 66

WANTED—Two German girls to do the general housework for three in family. 1623 Morgan. 66

WANTED—A neat colored girl, 13 to 15, in small family. 2523 North Market, near Jefferson av.

WANTED—German girl for general housework; family of three; children, 3429 Laclede av.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; two in family. Apply, with ref., at once, 3815 Pine st.

WANTED—By young girl situation to do light housework and plain sewing. T 11, this office.

WANTED—A girl for general housework, at 2016 John av., two blocks north of old Water Tower. 66

WANTED—Strong, good girl for housework, and one who is accustomed to the work. 1224 Washington av. 66

WANTED—Immediately, a reliable girl for general housework at John I. Martin's residence, 2021 Thomas st. 66

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ST. LOUIS R. R.

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NOTICES.

ross Fritz Hofstetter and ... deed of trust, dated ... recorded in the ... eeds for St. Louis ... to Hammacher, trus- ... real estate, lying and be- ... St. Louis, State of Missouri, to- ... eight, thirty-nine, forty, ... sixty-three, and forty- ... division of the west half ... fourth number seventy- ... three, and the north ... greater front of one hun- ... the one hundred and twenty ... ading at the impro ... to the payment ... described, upon which ... and whereas default ... having been made ... and declined ... by said trust and ... by the Circuit Court on ... of trustee in his ... at the request of the ... the above-described ... the highest bidder for ... Court-house, in the ... between the hours of 10 ... on Saturday, the ... for the purposes of said ... IS NOELL, Trustee.

Augustus Seymour ... certain deed of trust, ... recorded in the Re- ... Louis State of Mis- ... veyed to the under- ... real estate, situated ... with number ... arby's addition and ... front of twenty-five ... of Hickory four- ... nth northwardly of ... feet and six inches ... of lot No. 2 of said ... street, north by lot ... 3 of said block and ... red by said August ... a and wife by deed ... ded in Book 306, ... Recorder's office. ... signed was made ... ation notice in said ... default has been ... cipal note; now, ... holder of said ... ons in said deed ...

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A Plausible Explanation of the Firm's Peculiar Business.

Yesterday afternoon Albert Rhodus, E. M. Hemming and Burt Lyons were taken to the office of United States District-Attorney Bashaw to explain if they could, the peculiar transactions of that mythical firm of A. E. Montague & Co. From the statements of both Rhodus and Hemming it was plain that Burt Lyons was not interested in the firm, and he was accordingly released. Assistant District Attorney Knapp found Rhodus a very expert talker. He had a plausible explanation for every feature of the case. He explained his proposed plan of operation in this way: They intended to send written letters broadcast throughout the country offering to handle smaller amounts of grain on 'Change than the persons could themselves handle under the 'Change rules, by making an aggregate amount large enough for the firm of Montague & Co. to operate with under the rules, and charge their customers ½ cent per bushel commission. Knowing if they sent out printed circulars soliciting business the circulars would be thrown into the waste baskets, the firm concluded to advertise for copyists and have the letters sent out in the form of a personal communication, paying the copists a liberal sum for the work and asking them to advance the cost of the letter-heads. This was done, he said, to take the preliminary expenses of the firm as light as possible until Hemming could obtain money from England. The first circulars were sent out by them, he said, last Monday, and the first money received Friday or Saturday. Rhodus claimed he had figured with Clayton & Son, printers at 305 Locust street, for 100,000 letterheads, but did not want to order them until he knew with what success the proposition would meet. When Sunday's mail arrived he became convinced that the business would be a success, and Rhodus stated that he would order 50,000 letterheads the next day and the circular copy of the matter to be written.

Rhodus claimed that his brother in Kansas City owed him $800, and that Thos. Niedringhaus had agreed to let him have $1,400 when he needed it. Hemming said that he expected $1,000 from England, which would "stake" him in the business they proposed to enter.

The hearing before Commissioner Crawford was set for May 2 and bail was fixed in the sum of $1,000. Both Hemming and Rhodus were returned to jail.

Burt Evans claims he was greatly wronged by the statements of H. W. Ewing printed in connection with the Montague matter yesterday. He says he left the *Northern Sportsman* only after he had sold out his interest in the paper. He denies all other statements made by Ewing concerning him.

Chief Huebler received some more letters of inquiry to-day about the firm of A. E. Montague & Co. There was also another big pile of mail received for that firm at the Post-office. The letters were taken up to jail by Inspector McAfee, who had the prisoners open them. Money and postal notes were found in some of them.

A LOCAL JEKYLL AND HYDE.

The Queer History of a Burglar Named "Sleepy" Burke.

The City Jail contains a prisoner who is the exact counterpart of Richard Mansfield's Mr. Hyde. Alfred, alias "Sleepy" Burke is his name. Whether Mr. Mansfield moulded his Mr. Hyde after Burke or Burke moulded himself after Mr. Mansfield's Mr. Hyde is not known. Burke was arrested some time ago for breaking into Finley & Hull's clothing store and stealing a lot of goods. He was examined before Judge Noonan and held for the Grand Jury on a charge of burglary and larceny. Since his confinement in jail his actions have been most strange. He has been getting more and more savage every day until he has become more like some wild beast than a human being. The name of Sleepy was well applied to him. Day and night he remains in bed with the covers pulled over his head. When any one attempts to approach them, he snaps and spits at them and snarls like a dog. His actions are an exact reproduction of Mansfield's Mr. Hyde, and the horrible, ghastly countenance expression is on his face. The jail physician, is of the opinion that the man is incurably insane, and this morning he recommended his removal to the Insane Asylum.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

A Temperary Judge's Dignity—Items of Interest From the Other Side.

Yesterday afternoon Judge Ben Canby called City Attorney E. B. Davis to the bench to hear a case which it was claimed could not be heard by the Judge impartially. Mr. Davis, in taking the Judge's chair, tilted it back and, losing his balance, fell against the window back of the bench. The glass was shivered, but Mr. Davis was not cut. The incident caused a good deal of merriment in court and the attorneys at the bar have been joking Mr. Davis ever since about the "dignity" with which he presided.

The Board of School Trustees meets this afternoon to appoint a School Treasurer. John W. Renshaw, ex-City Treasurer, will in all probability be the successful applicant. It is said that the Board has been importuned by at least ten different applicants for the position.

The suit of Francis Gunning against the St. Louis Bridge & Tunnel Company for $10,000 damages was on trial in the city court. Gunning was engaged in painting the superstructure when the scaffolding gave way and he was seriously injured.

Edward White and Wm. Thompson were arrested this morning for disturbing the peace at the Relay Depot.

The Ways and Means Committee has completed the examination of City Clerk Meyer's accounts, and last evening discovered an additional defalcation of $12.50, which, added to the $262.35 before discovered, makes his total indebtedness to the city $275.75.

A fire broke out in Louis Weiss' bakery on Main street this morning, but was extinguished before much damage had been done.

Frank Irving, aged 16 years, in jumping on a Cairo Short Line train last evening missed the steps and his right foot was crushed by the wheel.

Will Scheer and Miss Polly Keefe will be married to-morrow evening by Rev. Father O'Halloran.

North St. Louis.

St. Mark's Parochial School at Venice, Ill., has arranged for a river excursion to Smith's Grove, up the river, on June 26.

The Oak Building, Loan & Saving Association will hold a meeting to-night for organization at the hall southeast corner of Easton and Taylor avenues.

A new canning factory is to be erected in North St. Louis. Machinery is now being purchased for the works.

The Holly Club have out unique cards of invitation for their first reception, to be given May 11, at the residence of Mr. Christopher Branch, 4311 Bellefountaine road.

A meeting will be held to-night at the Three-Mile-House, on Easton avenue, to organize a Union Labor party and elect representatives to the Progress or Central Committee.

William Conley was arrested last evening in the Third District for stealing a horse and buggy from Louis Hoepker of No. 2822 Franklin avenue. He will be prosecuted for grand larceny.

James Ross, the colored man who made an assault on Henry Trabue with a soda-water bottle in a Morgan street saloon on Saturday night, was arrested yesterday afternoon and confined in the Third District station on charge of assault to kill.

Clements Keener, a 6-year-old boy residing at No. 2219 North Broadway, was run over by a horse and wagon last evening while attempting to cross the street in front of his home. His injuries are not serious. The wagon was driven by Ernst Reibell of 2413 North Broadway.

Capt. Charles Escher, General Manager of the Broadway street car line, now has fully 300 men at work on the construction of the road with granite and has appointed Superintendent Hemmenway to superintendent Hemmenway to push the work along satisfactorily fast, and by the 1st of August or earlier the road will be fully completed, making it the best road in the country.

A wagon conveying a walking-beam of the new water-works engine, weighing about twenty-five tons, sunk into the street at Ninth and Montgomery streets this morning, where it remained for several hours before it was extricated. Three horses were attached. It is thought that the twenty-four inch main underneath the street is damaged.

John N. Strast, attorney for the plaintiff, and J. W. Collins, attorney for the defendants, in the case of Wm. Burmeister et al. against W. F. Magranes, in an unlawful detainer suit containing a pool-room, spent nearly all the afternoon yesterday arguing a motion for a new trial. The case before Justice Manning was decided in favor of the plaintiff, and Monday morning Judge Goode dismissed a new trial, and Monday at 2 p. m. was the time set for a rehearing.

A PERSISTENT WOULD-BE SUICIDE.

Thomas Potter of Streator, (Ill.,) Makes the Third Attempt at Self-Destruction.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

STREATOR, Ill., April 24.—Thomas Potter, who has gained considerable notoriety by his attempts upon his own life, placed a revolver to his breast last evening, and blew a big hole through his anatomy. The ball was recovered, but he will doubtless die. This is his third attempt. The first was by poison, and the second by the aid of a restaurant table knife. A woman is at the bottom of the affair, whom Potter's stepfather would not allow him to wed.

TEXAS REPUBLICANS.

The State Convention in Session at Ft. Worth.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FT. WORTH, Tex., April 24.—The State Republican Convention was called to order at noon by J. B. Rector, Chairman of the State Executive Committee. Mayor Brooles welcomed the delegates on behalf of the city. Rev. J. S. Gillespie opened with prayer. Dr. Arch Cochran of Dallas, was made chairman. He thanked God that the solid South was met by the more solid north. When Sherman's rampant bloody shirt was mentioned. Some fifteen delegates stood up and yelled, but when Blaine's name was spoken the immense audience, delegates and all went wild. At 2 p. m. the convention, after selecting a Committee on Credentials, adjourned to 7 p. m.

Texas Farmers Alarmed.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., April 24.—The growing wheat of this (Cooke) county, which gave flattering promises, a few days ago, of the most abundant crop ever before raised here, has been stricken with the rust during the last ten days and in many sections has been entirely ruined. The weather is damp and cloudy and if it continues this way many days longer the indications are that the small-grain crop of this part of Texas will be a total failure. Farmers are greatly alarmed over the gloomy prospects.

Horse and Buggy Stolen.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WHITE HALL, Ill., April 24.—Albert King of this city went to Roodhouse, Sunday evening, driving a fine bay mare, hitched to a top buggy. He had business to attend to and left the animal hitched to a hitching rack and was gone about two hours. When he returned the animal had broken loose and supposed that the animal and buggy had been stolen. A liberal reward is offered.

"Red" Leary's Murderer.

NEW YORK, April 24.—William Leary, the thief and bunco steerer, who was last night arrested for causing the death of his pal, "Red" Leary, the notorious bank burglar, by hurling a brick at his head on Saturday night, was to-day committed to await the Coroner's inquest. He claims that he threw the brick without any intention of killing his pal. The police are inclined to look at the case as an accident and expressed their belief that there was no foundation to the belief that "Red" Leary was put out of the way, "because he was supposed to be an informer," because he was

A Supposed Suicide Alive.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 24.—The *Chronicle-Telegraph's* Tiffin (O.) special says: Six weeks ago W. N. Wilkin, a traveling salesman of this city, disappeared and no trace of him could be found. Last Friday the body of a suicide was found in Central Park, New York, which answered the description exactly, even to a scar on the hand, and in a pocket was a card bearing the name of Wilkin. Relatives in Wilkin were sure it was his body, and to-day boarded a train for New York to get the remains, when they were startled by seeing Wilkin walk out of the car alive and well. Between grief first and joy afterward, his wife was nearly crazed.

Mrs. John A. Logan.

TOLEDO, O., April 24.—Mrs. John A. Logan, who has been visiting her son in Youngstown, has accepted an invitation to attend the meeting of the Ohio State Encampment, G. A. R., which meets in this city to-morrow and Thursday. She will arrive at 2 o'clock on Wednesday.

Arrested for Embezzlement.

CINCINNATI, O., April 24.—Gabriel Netter, a broker of this city, was arrested last night on a warrant sworn to by Cornelius Doremus, General Agent of the New York Germania Life Insurance Company, charging him with embezzling nearly $2,000 of the funds of the company, while acting as its agent in this city.

Held for Manslaughter.

MALDEN, Mass., April 24.—In the District Court this morning Mrs. Abby H. Connor was arraigned on a charge of manslaughter for causing the death of her daughter, Mrs. Lottie A. James, the victim of the Christian Science affair at Metford, last Thursday. She was held in $5,000 bonds for trial on Saturday, May 5. She has not as yet secured bail.

Early Closing.

The following firms agree to close their places of business at 1 p. m. Saturday, from April 28 until August 15: Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co.; Wm. Boogher Dry Goods Co.; Saml. C. Davis & Co.; Brown, Daughaday & Co.; Rice, Stix & Co.; James Saunders & Co.

Central Illinois Medical Society.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

PANA, Ill., April 24.—The district Medical Society of Central Illinois met in annual session this morning in Y. M. C. A. Hall. A very interesting meeting was held, owing to a larger attendance of the profession than usual.

Elevator Burning.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 24.—A Northfield (Minn.) special to the Journal says the large elevator on the Milwaukee road is on fire and will be a total loss. Several houses are threatened and the station is in danger.

A Destructive Fire.

VALENTINE, Neb., April 24.—The Montgomery Hotel, the Cherry County Bank and Sparks Bros.' store were destroyed by fire last night. Loss $30,600, with small insurance.

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the twenty-four hours, ending at 3 p. m. today:

Name.	Residence.
J. E. Vien	Kansas and Water
Emily C. Vien	
Francis Jocger	Bowen st
Mary D. Hayden	1307 N. Broadway
Louis Forster	1312 N. 6th st
Louisa Berbensch	2121 S. Broadway
Flemon Raubert	2109 Bismarck st
Lillie M. Robinson	2827a Papin st
James T. Drammond	2822a Papin st
Josephine T. Hazzard	St. Louis
Anton Boeser	St. Louis
Mary A. Hammelson	730 S. 4th st
Frank L. Dixon	1905 S. 2d st
Alice Curran	1433 East Grand av
Henry Schauer	3160 N. 14th st
Mary L. Wagner	3685 S. Broadway
Michael McLaughlin	9.0 Russell av
Elizabeth Bohn	1913 Morgan st
John F. Powers	2912 Franklin av
Annie Walsh	Richmond, Va
Frederick H. Starr	612 Argyle av
Belle Victor	Springfield, Mo
Jacob Wolff	Columbia, Mo
Minnie Victor	Joplin, Mo
Nix Bollmann	Columbia, Mo
Henrietta Leisse	1133 S. 6th st
Henry W. Schulze	918 Morrison av
Wilhelmine Heidemann	1442 N. 10th st
John H. McCarthy	2811 N. 19th st
Nellie Keane	708 Olive st
Henry Pape, jr.	2120 Olive st
Esther Jeffs	St. Louis County
Clara Bruns	Ft. Louis County
Mary Buesking	Madison County
William Stone	Madison County
Lucy Iconhower	616 Market st
Carl H. Witte	615 Market st
Ellen Hill	1116 Second Carondiet av
	1908 S. 11th st

Births.

The following births were reported to the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Isabella Catherina, daughter of Henry and Isabella Wollman, April 12; 1419 South Thirteenth street.
Edgar, daughter of Thomas and Annie Hennessy, April 18; 2717 Dayton street.
Blanche, daughter or James and Mary Meyers, April 13; 109 South Fourteenth street.
John, son of John and Hedwig Behrina, April 16; 3928 South Broadway.
Johanna, daughter of Wm. and Helen Fischer, April 17; 3317 Gamble avenue.
Anne, daughter of Henry and Anne Quante, April 15; 1316 Palm street.
Rose, daughter of Sol and Pauline Goldstein, April 11; 1616 South Compton avenue.
Mary, daughter of John and Lena Hoakey, April 21; 1523 Geyer avenue.
Leota, daughter of Nelson and Josie Gankersley, April 22; 2703a South Tenth street.
William Thomas, son of Mitchel and Lizzie McClarrian, April 21; 1605 Morgan street.
Florence, daughter of Robert and Auguste Buchanah, April 20; 3448 Texas avenue.
——, daughter of Thomas and —— Newton, April 12; 2649 Olive street.
Edna, daughter of —— and Louisa Cramer, April 20; 207 North Twelfth street.
——, daughter of George and Emma Hoffman, April 19; 2218 Lafayette avenue.
——, son of Joseph and Mattie Turner, April 15; 530 Argyle avenue.
Lillie, daughter of John and Louisa Knobel, April 22; 902 South Tenth street.
——, daughter of Anton and Rosie Hoeffner, April 18; 1910 Park avenue.
James, son of John and Katy Phelan, April 19; 1903 Hickory street.
Alma, daughter of Louis and Carrie Schulz, April 15; 802 South Tenth street.
Gerod Hugo, son of Hugo and Lina Speh, April 18; 1016 South Twelfth street.
——, son of Andrew and Hattie Hoffman, April 22; 106 Plum street.
Garnet, daughter of Henry and Carrie Ambruster, April 7; 3515 Market street.
Gustafus, son of Christ and Mathilde Keck, April 10; 1440 O'Fallon street.
Emma Huida, daughter of Carl and Augusta Rudolph, April 19; 1411 Carr street.
Otto Andres, son of Charles and Anna Schultz, April 20; 1440 Warren street.
Wilhelmina, daughter of John and Anna Miller, April 22; 1004 Park avenue.
Emery, son of J. and Millie Trowler, April 13; 1328 Mississippi street.
——, son of James and Amanda Gozy, April 22; 704 Pope avenue.
Ellen Rose, daughter of Patrick and Margaret Hogan, April 17; 1609 North Leffingwell avenue.
Carolina, daughter of Edward S. F. Hoffmann and Louisa Egeter, April 19; 1960 Lafayette avenue.
——, son of Thomas and Lizzie Clark, April 22; 1721 Franklin avenue.
Harry, son of Joseph and J. H. Jones, April 18; 1628 Lucas avenue.
Lyman, son of H. S. and Mary Wheeler, April 14; 3109 Chestnut street.

Deaths.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Elizabeth Godenfried, 62 years, 6415 Minnesota avenue; lassitude.
Odile Chattillon, 78 years, 7505 Minne sota avenue; senile debility.
Margaret Brenner, 5 years, Baden; accident.
Celia E. Holt, 1 year, 4 North Eleventh street; marasmus.
Rudolph Steutz, 73 years, 3720 Iowa avenue; asthma.
Maria Wesselsay, 49 years, 1821 South Tenth street; entero-colitis.
Mary Hezel, 33 years, 4156 North Market street; consumption.
Mary Males, 47 years, St. John's Hospital; cancer.
Lucy Adeline Nash, 77 years, 2341 Market street; anæmia.
F. Xavier de Lisle, 72 years, Little Sisters of Poor Hospital; paralysis.
Maggie M. Caarsen, 2 months, 1103 North Eleventh street; marasmus.
Richard Baylis, 5 years, 4341 Morgan street; croup.
Henry Kruse, 3 years, 2427 South Second street; croup.
Thomas Bramen, 4 months, 1219 South Sixth street; cerebritis.
Frank R. Lindsay, 3 months, 2828 North Twenty-first street; congenital debility.
John P. Wilder, 2 years, 2722 Gravois avenue; paralysis of heart.
Louise D. Chatillon, 60 years, Bowen street near river; bronchitis.
John Lehan, 41 years, Alexian Brothers' Hospital; typhoid fever.
Phœbie Upham, 14 days, 544 West Davis street; congenital debility.
John Dawson, 23 years, City Hospital; pneumonia.
Bessie Yates, 9 months, 1740 North Twelfth street; bronchitis.
——— Miller, 25 days, St. Ann's Asylum; inanition.
William Jones, 15 days, St. Ann's Asylum; congenital debility.
Louise Moriarity, 30 years, City Hospital; pneumonia.
Infant of A. Hoffman, 14 hours, 106 Plum street; premature birth.
Louise Fox, Creighton, 19 years, 1802 North Ninth street; inflammation of brain.
Fanny Davis, 20 years, 1422 Clark avenue; dropsy.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. today:

Francis McIlvaine to Henry M. Nichols, 25 ft. on Pine st., city block 1016; warranty deed.
Joanna Harney to James T. Drummond, 18 ft. on 3d st., city block 1; warranty deed. $ 7,000
Lucas H. Franke and wife to Andrew Hoehn, 29 ft. on McPherson av., Nat Holmes' subdivision; quitclaim deed. 2,250
Anna M. Dietzel et al. to Ferdinand Lodenkamper, 25 ft. on Labadee av., etc.; quitclaim deed. 870
Sarah Duncan to John M. Powers, 25 ft. on Laflin av., city block 1887 N.; warranty deed. 1
Mary A. Walsh and trustee to Martin Riley, 50 ft. on 8th st., city block 847; warranty deed. 2,000
Charles Breding and wife, by trustee, to Catharine Day, 25 ft. on Market st., city block 3696; warranty deed. 2,400
Isabella S. Beaver et al., to Henry W. Thiele, 25 ft. on Nebraska av., city block 1476; warranty deed. 50
Scott's Mutual House Building Company to Thomas Murphy and wife, 25 ft. on Stoddard av., city block 2986; warranty deed. 1,400
Frank O. Fisher to Frank G. Koken, 60 ft. on Texas av., city block 1761; warranty deed. 2,022
Caspar Hemmele and wife to Edward S. F. Hemmele, 100 ft. on DeHodiamont av.; deed.
Gambleton subdivision deed; warranty deed.
Ferdinand Lodenkamper and wife to Henry Schwenck, 25 ft. on Hoyt st., city block 2317; warranty deed. 2,145
Louise Pratte et al. by special commissioner, to Anthony Stern, 50 ft. on Shenandoah st., city block 1440; special commissioner's deed.
James Lynch and wife to Rosanna Brunold, 25 ft. on Manchester road, city block 2206; warranty deed. 2,560
Margaret Bollinger et al. to Andrew Kuhter, 25 ft. on Second Carondelet av., city block 1413; warranty deed.
Geary Mathes by trustee to Susie Mathes, 25 ft. on Wright st., city block 2369; trustee's deed.
George Klein and wife to Christopher and Simson Architectural, Iron and Foundry Co., 25 ft. on Park av., city block 4641; warranty deed. 4,500
Thomas Allen by executor, to Joseph Balin, Second Addition, block 39; executor's deed.
Jesse A. Vail and wife to Indian H. Shea, 44 ft. on Grand av., city block 2489; warranty deed. 312
John C. Orrick and wife to George Klein, 25 ft. on King's highway; warranty deed.
Rudolph Nagle and wife to George Klein, 25 ft. on Missouri av., city block 4493; warranty deed. 792
Ernest Oberbeckhart and wife to Frederick Seyfermer, 100 ft. on Prescott av., Harlem addition; warranty deed. 1
John Oberbeck et al. to Ernest Oberbeck, several parcels of land in Oberbeck's first addition; quitclaim deed. 4,000
12,620

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COMMERCIAL.

Closing Prices—3 P. M.

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ST. LOUIS:

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
May.	85¼	85¼	85⅛ a	85¼ a
June	86	86⅛	85⅝ b	85⅞ a
July.	85¾ a	85⅞	85⅝	85⅞ a
Aug.	84¼	84⅜	83⅝	84⅛ a
				84 a
Dec.	88⅜	88⅞	87½	87⅝ b
CORN.				
May.	50⅝	50⅝	50¼	50⅜ b
June	50	50	50	50 n
July.	50⅛	50⅛	49⅝	50⅛
Aug.	51	....	....	....
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OATS.				
May.	30⅜	30⅜	30¼	30⅜ b
June	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31 b
CHICAGO:				
WHEAT.				
May.	81½	81⅝	80⅜	81⅛
July	83⅝@83¾	83⅞	82⅝	83¼
CORN.				
May.	54⅝@54½	54⅝	53⅝	54⅜
July	54 @54⅛	54⅛	53⅝	54 @54⅛
OATS.				
May.	31½	31⅝	31⅛	31½ b
July	31⅛	31⅝	31⅛@31½	31⅜ b
PORK.				
May.	14.00	14.00	13.72	13.87 a
June	14.05	14.07	13.82	13.97
LARD.				
May.	8.07	8.07	8.02	8.00@02
July	8.15	8.12	8.07	8.02@10
SHORT RIBS.				
May.	7.22	7.25	7.20	7.22@25
June.	7.32	7.35	7.30	7.32

NEW YORK—Wheat—May, 93½c; June, 92⅝c; August, ——; December, 94½c b. Corn—May, 62½c b; June, 61½c; July, 61½c; August, 57¾c; August, 57½c b.

TOLEDO—Wheat—May, 87¾c; June, 88¼c; July, 88¾c b; August, 84½c a.

DULUTH—Wheat—May, 81½c b; June, 82⅜c b; July, 82¾c b; August, 84½c a.

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	Barley bu.
To-day	1,054,745	1,249,821	345,151	3,962	14,621
Yes'dy	1,061,412	1,247,286	940,528	3,949	12,994
	No. 2 Red.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.
To-day	939,812	884,733	292,130	2,900	.....
Yes'dy	946,034	877,000	291,044	2,900	.....

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.
St. Louis	9,475	61,400	800	22,397
Milwaukee	17,262	500	1,050	
Baltimore	6,495	7,200	80,000	19,297
New York	3,522	18,151	6,316	2,505
Chicago	1,632	87,500	15,368	530
Kansas City	22,099	151,872	17,860	44,575
Detroit	5,199	9,500	.....	1,000
Duluth	97,832	5,747	610	857
Minneapolis	18,912	.....	.....	.....
Philadel'hia	2,283	4,169	29,520	8,285
			8,285	1,412

Withdrawals From Elevators for Twenty-Four Hours Ending Yesterday.

Wheat—City mills, 10,122 bu; rail shipment, 1,000 bu; river, ——; total, 11,122 bu. Corn—City, 12,596; rail shipment, 3,184 bu; river, ——; total, 15,548 bu. Oats—City, 4,162 bu; rail shipment, ——; river, ——; total, 4,162 bu. Rye—Rail, —— bu. Barley—City, 543 bu.

St. Louis Markets.

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING 1 P. M.

Wheat showed some strength at the opening, and July sold 1c higher at 84¾c, with outside markets then better, and the commencement of a cold night and chilly morning brought down town by local traders. The predictions, however, were for warmer weather and rains. Cables were quiet and future less than firm and the other markets failed to hold up. A selling pressure developed, longs were realizing freely, there was more short selling than of late, but very much of a demand. On the first break July went to 83¾c, but subsequently reacted 1c. Late became very weak again and weakened steadily, closing at 83⅝@83¾c, and 84¾@84¾c below yesterday. Spot No. 2 red was dull and lower, 5,000 selling this side at 85¾c to a miller, and a car No. 3 red in M. sold at 83c.

Corn was dull and weak, a decline in the outside market causing the depression. Trading was the smallest of any day for months past. Most operators were afraid to deal in May, fearing a squeeze, and there were no orders here. May ranged from 50¾ to 50¾c, nominally 50¾c; closed steady at 50¾c. Spot grades were July from 49⅜ to 49¾c. Spot trade done, order buyers taking about all that sold. No. 2, 50¾@50¾c in E. 50¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 3, 49¾c in St. L., 49¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 2 white, 51½c in St. L., 50¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 3 white, 51½c in St. L., 50¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 2 and No. 3 mixed, 50¾c bid for Y.; No. 4, 49¾c for C. and M.; no grade, 47c bid for M.

Oats—The futures market was firm and higher as a demand for the options developed. Spot trade was quiet and mainly at 30¾c for No. 2 white, 30¾c for No. 3, 30¾c in M., 30¾c bid for No. 2, 30¾c in M., 30¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 3, 30¾c in M., 30¾c in C., 31½ bid for No. 2, 31¾c bid for No. 3 white, 31½c in C., 31½ bid for No. 2 red, 31½c bid for No. 3, 30¾c in M., 30¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 2 mixed, 30¾c bid for No. 3, 30¾c in M., 30¾c in C. and E. sides; No. 3 mixed, 30¾c bid for No. 2, 31¾c in M., 31¾c in C., 31½ bid for No. 3, 30¾c in M., 30¾c in C. and E. sides.

Flour dull and weak. Sacked, 50¼c E. side points, $2.50@2.60; bulk, 75c at country points.

Bran dull and weak. Sacked, 80¼c E. side points, 83c f. o. b. in bulk; bulk, 75c at country points.

Hay was dull. Only choice timothy and prime sold at outside prices. Prices ranged from $12 for prime to $13.50 for choice; $15@17 for fancy timothy, and $17.50@18.50 for choice timothy mixed with prairie.

Provisions not so firm as Chicago was weak and lower and a job and order business was done. Most of this was sold to arrive at 7.30c c. i. f. Liverpool, 30-day delivery, and 25 tons of Shoulders, 5.50c; longs, 7c; ribs, 7½c; boxed shorts, 7¾c; boxed shorts, 8c; boxed hams, 12@13c; sugar cured hams, 13@14c; sugar cured shoulders, 8c; sugar cured bacon—Shoulders, 8½c; longs, 7½c; ribs, 8c; shorts, 8c; boxed shorts, 8¼c; boxed hams, 12@13c; sugar

TROD ON ITS TAIL!

"Humphrey" Clinchers.

How "Humphrey" Clothing is Made.

To any person sufficiently interested in this controversy to care to act as arbitrator, we will show paid bills for piece-goods imported directly from Europe amounting to twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), and that within a space of less than twelve months' time, to say nothing of our enormous home purchases of WOOLEN GOODS.

These, the selected styles of the world, we cause to be cut and made into garments ready for immediate wear, by picked artist-cutters and four tailors, for which we pay a fair percentage, and there expense ceases. This system of business enables us to place finer Clothing at a smaller cost than is or can be made in a factory, a fact that we think is pretty widely known, whereas our assailants BUY MORE READY-MADE CLOTHING FROM WHOLESALERS THAN ANY OTHER CLOTHING HOUSE IN ST. LOUIS. These are incontrovertible facts, for which we await reply.

Another Humphrey Clincher.

OUR LIBERALITY.

We are attacked on the subject of some useful presents that we have given from time to time with purchases amounting to a given sum, or, as they put it, "with our high-priced and neglected merchandise." We challenge any man, firm or corporation to prove that we have ever added one cent, either directly or indirectly, to the price of our merchandise on account of anything that we have given away. Of course the objective point has been to increase sales and it has always operated to that desired end. We are now giving a base ball, bat, cap and belt with every boy's suit bought of us, and we are offering boys' clothing at such prices as render competition impotent.

Another Humphrey Clincher.

More on the Subject of Liberality.

Let the poor broken-winged bird place its list of subscription for enterprise and charity connected with St. Louis alongside of that of F. W. H. & Co. and show the public which is the patriotic firm of the two; or suppose that a committee of gentlemen wait on "our own factory" agency and note the liberal spirit with which the wires have to be set to work to obtain permission to subscribe to any object for the furtherance of St. Louis' interests.

DEAD AS A DOORNAIL.

The following wail went up in this morning's paper from one of our esteemed contemporaries.

It offers an opportunity of declaring ourselves and laying bare our methods too seldom offered to pass unnoticed when it does occur:

A Shriek from the Stricken (Golden) Eagle

From the venom displayed by the small concern (that has to pay a stiff jobber's profit on all its clothing) toward the large manufacturers who have "our own factory," it looks as though it would soon be necessary for said small concern to resort to its customary methods of bribing customers by gifts of pewter watches or similar questionable schemes, to induce them to buy its high-priced and neglected merchandise.

The mourning band around the above is out of respect to the grief now being suffered in that mausoleum of departed clothing fashions situated diagonally opposite from our store.

We presume that the following extracts from our Sunday's advertisement are what gave rise to the above blood-curdling, teeth-gnashing little piece of vituperation:

To supply that which ordinary clothiers regard with awe, and more pretentious ones try to imitate, but quoted by all well-clad men and boys as an authority, is the alpha and omega of the Humphrey system.

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The clothing that we sell is distinctively Humphrey clothing; telegraph wires on land, and the cables under the ocean shoot out electricity from our fingers' ends to magnetize the woolen fashions at home and abroad, and a complexity of railroads and steamboat lines plow a way through the elements to bring the world's best for your delectation. That's a broader field to move in than the cramped walls of one factory.

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The egotism of those who boast continually of "our own factory" finds a parallel in the handicraft of counterfeiters who circulate spurious money; that being also characterized by individuality of skill in a certain way.

To our friends at a distance who may feel interested to know how we do things, we mail free our gorgeously illustrated Catalogue; also, samples of material. Please write for them, and compare St. Louis home enterprise with that of factory agencies who have to charge double-distilled profits to keep up expenses at both ends of the line.

"The neglected and high-priced merchandise" is doing so well as to call for an enlargement of our premises. The four floors lately added are rapidly undergoing alterations necessary to fit them to our requirements. When completed we will have the largest stores in the West.

An Ounce of Practice is Worth a Pound of Precept.

Instead of attacking us on the subject of what we give away suppose they answer the following arguments respecting what we have to sell:

We have placed on our tables this day

ONE THOUSAND BOYS' SUITS

to fit boys aged from 4 to 14 years, at

$5.00 and $6.50

Made in the manner already referred to. They are Fine All Wool Imported and Domestic Cheviots and Cassimeres of the latest styles and we simply challenge competition to produce anything like them for less than $8.50 and $10.00.

$15—Our Line of Men's Spring Sack and Cutaway Suits of Worsted, Cassimere, Cheviot and Saxony Tweeds are simply Peerless on the points of cut, fit, finish or price.

$5—The Largest and Best Showing in St. Louis of Men's Trousers, both Made to Order and Ready for Immediate Wear.

F. W. HUMPHREY & CO.,

Finest Clothing, Hats and Furnishings, Northeast Corner Broadway and Pine.

THE NEW

Delicatessen Lunch Room,

716 N. BROADWAY.

CITY NEWS.

It Pays 50c on the Dollar

To patronize Crawford's great no-fit-no-sale tailoring department; superb stock new spring woolens.

Dr. E. C. Chase,

Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, $8.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine st.

DR. WHITTIER, 617 St. Charles, cures diseases of indiscretion, indulgences. Call or write.

A LOVER'S BLOODY WORK.

Fatal Game of Cards—Shot at a Dance—Texas Topics.

COOPER, April 24.—B. F. Boydston, an employe of the Cotton Belt Line, shot his fiancee, Miss Lulu Frazier, yesterday, and afterwards committed suicide. The young lady, it is said, had asked for a postponement of the marriage. She is seriously wounded, and cannot recover. Boydston left a letter for his sister.

BASTROP, April 24.—Wade Hodge was shot and killed last night by James Brown, a colored man, the result of a quarrel over a game of cards.

AUSTIN, April 24.—In the House last evening a member introduced a resolution memorializing Congress to provide for a Government Poor-farm for families of Government officials in lieu of the pension system.

WACO, April 24.—Peter Crause was shot and dangerously wounded by Horace Miles at a country dance yesterday. It was the result of a dispute over a girl's programme. At an inquiry concerning the mental condition of P. Waldbaum, a German farmer, it was shown that he had lived for two weeks on husks of corn.

HOUSTON, April 24.—Jacob Spies, a workman in the Central Railroad Machine-shops, was caught in the machinery yesterday and mangled to death.

Boys' Suits Made to Order for $10 and Youths' Suits Made to Order for $15 From New Spring Fabrics.

We are making Boys' School Suits to order from $10 to $15 and Boys' Dress Suits to order for $15 to $20, according to the quality of the fabrics selected. We make Youths' Suits to order for $15, $18, $20 and $25. SEE OUR SUITINGS BEFORE YOU BUY.

MILLS & AVERILL,

S. E. Cor. Broadway and Pine.

A POLITICAL LOVE-FEAST.

Annual Banquet of the Iroquois Club—Destructive Storm—Illinois Items.

CHICAGO, April 24.—The fifth annual banquet of the Iroquois Club, celebrating the anniversary of the birth of Stephen A. Douglas, took place last night. There were 650 gentlemen present.

ALAMON, April 24.—This section was visited by a destructive storm yesterday afternoon. Several buildings were unroofed. No lives were lost.

SPRINGFIELD, April 24.—Concordia College has been closed on account of typhoid fever. There are twelve patients in the institution.

THOSE nobby gold and silver-headed Umbrellas, look to be worth $5, only $1.95, at the GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

SUPPRESS SUNDAY PAPERS.

Prize Gifts of Bottled Beer—Blanche Connors Convicted—Missouri Matters.

KANSAS CITY, April 24.—The Rev. J. M. Wiley read a paper before the Ministers' Alliance yesterday on the State Sabbath laws. He believes that Sunday newspapers should be suppressed, and that the Sunday mail service should be abandoned. The Sunday saloon law is evaded on Grand avenue by clothiers and haberdashers offering prize-gift bottles of beer with every parcel of goods sold. The police are looking into the matter. The jury in the case of Blanche Connors, charged with complicity in the murder of Joseph Peters, brought in a verdict of guilty in the first degree. The trial of John Swinney, charged with the attempted train robbery on the Wabash, commenced yesterday afternoon.

ST. JOSEPH, April 24.—A fire broke out in the new stock-yards yesterday afternoon, destroying some of the buildings. Twenty horses and seven mules perished. The losses are placed at $15,000. There was a strike yesterday afternoon of 500 brickmakers on account of the employers failing to pay advanced rates promised.

MEXICO, April 24.—There are now twelve men and women in jail on suspicion for the murder of Samuel Agnew. They belong to a gang known as the "Royal Nine" and they had a regular system for burglarizing stores and residences. There is still loud talk of lynching.

MACON, April 24.—Capt. Byron Griffith died yesterday afternoon. He was a victim of locomotor ataxia. For several years he engaged in extensive railroad contracts.

Buy Your Shoes at the Globe.

500 pairs ladies' Dongola patent-leather tip shoes at $1.50; ladies' kid Oxford and button shoes at 75 cents; splendid kid opera slippers at 50 cents. 1,000 pairs child spring heel shoes, good quality, at 50 cents. Our ladies' $3.50 French kid shoes are sold elsewhere at $5.

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Senate had a brief and fruitless discussion on international copyright yesterday.

The Committee on Elections yesterday reported the Frank-Glover contest in favor of Mr. Glover.

Boulangerism is said to be honeycombing the police of Paris, wherefore the antis are very nervous.

After a violent debate the Paris Municipal Council yesterday denounced the Boulanger movement.

Mrs. Samantha Grube, the wife of a Vincennes (Ind.) farmer, hanged herself while temporarily insane yesterday.

Gladstone's amendment to the Irish revenue bill, in favor of equalizing death duties, was sat down on in the British Commons last night.

The body of an unknown young white woman was found in the Mississippi just below Vicksburg, Miss. A crushed skull and other signs point to a violent death.

John Moore, alias W. J. and J. T. Moore, was arrested at Baton Rouge, La., for fraud, having entered and obtained claims for homesteads under all three names.

The late Emperor William's will shows he left 24,000,000 marks, of which 3,000,000 go to the Empress Augusta, his widow. The crown treasury receives 12,000,000 marks.

During a dance at a Mexican settlement near Trinidad, Colo., three young men got into a fight over a pretty Mexican girl, in which one man was killed and two seriously wounded.

Representative Anderson introduced a bill in the House yesterday directing the Attorney-General to institute judicial proceedings against the Union Pacific Railway Co. to enforce the forfeiture of 1878.

Robert Gordon, a 12-year-old boy working on a farm at Owensboro, Ky., fell from the mule he was riding and was dragged by the trace chains for over a mile and so horribly mangled as to be unrecognizable.

There was a debate in the French Chamber yesterday over the appointment of Freycinet, a civilian, to be Minister of War, but a vote of confidence in the Ministry, 377 to 175, was adopted without any excitement.

A party of students of the Lockport (Pa.) Academy were gambling with an outsider named Conch, when one of the boys accused him of cheating. The result was a fight, in which the student, Rowley, was seriously stabbed by Conch.

Emperor Joseph of Austria gave Queen Victoria a very profuse welcome yesterday as she passed through Innspruck. According to her wish, no official reception will be given her at Berlin. On leaving Florence she gave $1,000 to the poor.

Frank O. Brown, proprietor of the Brunswick Saloon at Pueblo, Colo., was shot in the cheek by some unknown person, the ball lodging at the base of the brain. Brown knows who shot him, but refuses to tell, saying he will settle the matter himself when he recovers.

Robert Hamilton of Washington Township, Ind., placed a loaded shotgun behind the door of his tobacco house so that it would go off when the door opened. A good friend of his sought shelter from the rain in Hamilton's warehouse and received the charge in his breast.

Loving Mothers Should Remember

That bad boys become good boys when you buy them one of our nice cassimere suits at $5.

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HOTEL PERSONALS.

Frank J. Deegan, Rolla, Mo.; E. G. Collins, Kenesaw, Mo., and John Cosgrove, Canton, Mo., are at the St. James.

H. W. Bell, Cairo; Jas. L. Campbell, Licking, Mo., and J. H. Cordell, Marshall, Mo., are at the Hotel Barnum.

C. F. Cudde, Musceatine, Io.; J. B. Tebbetts, Norbonne, Ill., and N. W. Salmon, Clinton, Mo., are at the Planters'.

John Weber, New York; M. J. Brady, Providence; John Young, Chicago; A. C. Widdicombe Boonville, Mo., and J. E. Wright, Milwaukee, are at the Lindell.

W. B. Ballou, North Attleboro, Mass.; Julius Cohn, Cincinnati; P. D. Stevens, New York; J. D. Fairbanks, Wichita; J. E. Starr, Zanesville, O.; H. O. Bunnell, Logansport, Ind., and J. J. Ellison, Kansas City, are at the Southern.

Y. M. C. A. Meetings.

Every night this week there will be evangelistic meetings at the down-town branch of the Y. M. C. A., 205 North Broadway, conducted by the Rev. Clay Coats, who with considerable success held two weeks' meetings at the Railroad Branch Y. M. C. A. in East St. Louis. He will also lead the business men's prayer meeting at the same place every day at noon from 12:30 to 1:15. These meetings are for men only.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the County Court of St. Charles County, Mo., to 12 o'clock m. Tuesday, May 15, 1888, for the erection and completion of an addition to the County Asylum of said county, located near the city of St. Charles. The plan and specifications may be seen at the office of Dr. J. R. Mudd, in the city of St. Charles, or at the office of B. J. Goesse, Architect, No. 805 Case avenue, St. Louis, Mo., up to day of letting; a bond to the county, with sufficient security, to be filed with bid and (subject to the approval of the court) for the faithful performance and completion of the contract according to plan and specification, etc. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the County Court of St. Charles County, Mo.

Attest: JNO. K. McDEARMON,
Clerk of the County Court of St. Charles County, Mo.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sayler-Stegall Commission Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 105 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, May the 8th, at 9 o'clock, to elect directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may be brought before them.

R. H. BOSTICK, Sec'y. A. S. SAYLE, President.

St. Louis, April 21, 1888.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Aztec Mining Company for the election of seven directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the secretary, No. 404 Market street, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, on Wednesday, the 2d day of May, A. D. 1888. Polls open from 9 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock m. WM. EINSTEIN, Secretary. President.

St. Louis, April 25, 1888.

W. LB. G. ALLEN,

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The postponed annual meeting of the C. F. Simmons Medicine Company will be held at the office of the company, 2810 Clark av., on the 3d day of May, 1888, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m. for the purpose of electing five directors of said company.

C. F. SIMMONS, President.

L. M. BEALS, Secretary.

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